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Luftwaffe Loses 33 Planes In Fierce Raids on London

Record R.A.F. Night Bag Brings Total Shot Down in May to 124

London, May 11.

DESTRUCTION of 33 enemy aircraft during the night is confirmed by an Air Ministry communique which admits that high casualties and considerable damage were caused in a raid on London. The communique says:—"London was attacked by enemy aircraft last night and bombed heavily for several hours. Reports show that the number of casualties is high and considerable damage was done.

"Outside London bombs were dropped on many points, particularly in the south-east and east Anglia. A small number of people is reported to have been killed, but nowhere is damage extensive. Late yesterday evening some bombs were dropped at a point in the south-west. Some houses were damaged and a small number of people injured.

"Thirty-three enemy aircraft are known to have been destroyed during the night, 31 by fighters and two by anti-aircraft fire."

Incidents of the Battle

The Air Ministry news service describes some incidents of the fighting. A French Flight Lieutenant saw a bomber caught by searchlights. He closed in, and after the first attack saw the raider dive; he followed it down for more than 7,000 feet and saw it explode on the ground.

A Czech sergeant pilot of the same squadron caught a raider going home and destroyed it. The squadron leader also got one and saw it plunge burning into a fire on the ground. A pilot destroyed two bombers within a few minutes after a chase to the Dutch coast. He followed one out to sea and although it was striving all the time to regain its base he caught it up at only 3.00 feet near an aerodrome.

At the first attack the raider blew into a great mass of flames. As soon as the fighter pilot had recovered from the glare he saw another bomber take off from the aerodrome. He gave it a long burst from his guns and it went straight into the ground and broke up. The fighters by this time was down to 50 feet and he had to climb quickly to avoid a crash.

At an average of four men to a plane the German Air Force lost over 130 trained airmen in a few hours. All but two of the planes were destroyed by night fighters. This is easily a record for any night and brings the German losses in 10 days of this month to 124 with an estimated loss of 500 skilled flyers.

Five hospitals, including a children's hospital,a hotel, a cinema, several churches, a rest centre and a shelter were among the buildings hit during the raid on the London area. Casualties were caused at three hospitals, a hotel, shelter and rest centre.

Gallant Efforts

Although gallant efforts of fire-fighters prevented many incendiaries from causing fires, not all the fire bombs could be made harmless and a number of houses and other buildings caught fire.

A Reuter reporter found streets in one district almost as bright as day in the glare of fires from burning buildings. Huge clouds of smoke, mingled with sparks, hung over the scene while anti-aircraft guns barked and the hum of planes was audible. Clanging fire engines dashed through the streets and ambulances sped to various areas, where buildings were demolished or damaged by high-explosive bombs, to pick up victims saved by fire-fighters and other rescue squads. Lengths of hose twined like serpents through streets strewn with broken glass, bricks and frag-

[Reuter.

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Record Number of Nazi Crafts Down

106 Destroyed During First Week of May; R.A.F. Losses Relatively Slight

London, May 11.

In the week ending at dawn on May 10 a record number of German aircraft for 1941 were shot down over Britain, 76 during the night, 30 by day making a total of 106. No British aircraft were lost during the night and day losses total nine, with four of the pilots safe.

Details of the German losses are:

	Day	Night		Day	Night
May 3	1	14	May 7	8	21
May 4	1	9	May 8	13	12
May 5	2	8	May 9	1	3
May 6	4	9			

During the week ending at dusk on May 8, 23 enemy aircraft were destroyed in the Mediterranean and African theatres of war for the loss of only 12 British aircraft.

A remarkable feature of the week's air fighting was the activity over the sea, in which free Yugoslav aircraft participated. Several heavy attacks were delivered against enemy convoys, in the course of which a destroyer and five merchantmen were hit, a destroyer and one merchantman being sunk.

Six enemy aircraft were shot down and others damaged during two raids on Crete and three were destroyed at Malta.

The R.A.F. heavily raided the Calato aerodrome at Rhodes and caused considerable damage.

Raids on enemy positions and aerodromes in North Africa were both heavy and extensive. Benina was attacked no less than six times. Derna four times and Benghazi harbour four times. At Benina, particularly, numerous troop-carriers were destroyed and damaged on the ground.

In East Africa, attacks were directed mainly against fortifications and troop concentrations. On May 4 over 100 transport vehicles were estimated destroyed near the Falaga pass. Free French forces attacked the Gondar landing-ground.—Reuter.

German Ship Captured In the Indian Ocean

Acting As Supply Vessel For Raider

London, May 11.

A German merchant vessel which has been acting as a supply ship for a raider and a Norwegian tanker captured by a raider have been intercepted in the Indian ocean by the Australian cruiser Canberra and the New Zealand cruiser Leander, states an Admiralty communique.

The German ship is the Coburg and the Norwegian is the Ketty Brogriv, both of about 7,000 tons. A number of Norwegians and Chinese were rescued and 17 German officers and 47 ratings were captured.

Two days ago it was announced that a raider had been destroyed in the Indian ocean by the British cruiser Cornwall.—Reuter.

Hoover Broadcasts

New York, May 11.

Mr. Herbert Hoover, former President, is making a nation-wide broadcast today.—Reuter.

More Heavy Raids On Germany

London, May 11.

Strong forces of R.A.F. bombers made a heavy attack on Saturday night on shipyards and the industrial quarter of Hamburg, while smaller units attacked Berlin, Bremen, Emden and Rotterdam.

This was the third successive night attack on Germany.—Reuter.

British Activity in Sollum Area

Operations Around Amba Alagi Continuing

London, May 11.

British mechanized troops around the Sollum area in Libya continue to harass the enemy, and the general position is otherwise unchanged, states the latest information reaching here.

In Abyssinia combined operations by land and air forces continue around Amba Alagi.—Reuter.

Amba Alagi Bombed

Cairo, May 11.

A particularly heavy attack on the fort at Amba Alagi in Abyssinia by R.A.F. Rhodesian aircraft with many direct hits was featured in last night's R.A.F. Middle East communique, which states:—

"In Libya: heavy attacks by aircraft of the R.A.F. were made during the night of May 8/9 on Benghazi, Benina and Berna. Four large fires followed by explosions were caused at Derna. The cathedral mole was heavily bombed at Benghazi, but at Benina it was not possible to observe the results of the attack.

"The same night, the road east of Tobruk and the road north of Bardia were bombed: motor-transport was destroyed and considerable damage was done to road service.

"Abyssinia: in Abyssinia a particularly heavy attack was made on the fort at Amba Alagi by a combined force of aircraft of the R.A.F. and Rhodesian squadron. Many direct hits were obtained.

"South African aircraft carried out a series of attacks covering practically the whole area where Italian troops are still holding out. Most of the raids were on motor-transport and enemy troops.

Malta: enemy aircraft attempted to attack some shipping near Malta. Our fighters intercepted them and one Junkers-88 was shot down into the sea.

"Only one aircraft is missing from all these operations."—Reuter.

Benghazi Shelled

London, May 11.

British naval forces attacked Benghazi harbour early on Thursday, according to the Admiralty communique. Hits were observed on enemy shipping alongside the mole. Two enemy supply-ships were intercepted while approaching the harbour, and destroyed. One was of 3.000 tons and the other was a 6.000-ton ammunition ship. It was blown to bits.—Reuter

Heat Wave in Egypt

Cairo, May 11.

What is believed to be almost a record heat-wave is scorching the desert on the outskirts of Cairo, where a temperature of 119 degrees in the shade has been recorded. This probably explains why today's British communique says "nothing of importance to report" in the Tobruk area.

If conditions are similar in Libya, the burning rays of the sun will be making almost every part of tanks and other vehicles almost untouchable.

Meanwhile, the "small rains" in Abyssinia are slowing down operations, making many roads temporarily impassable.

Suez Again Raided

In the early hours of the morning of Saturday, enemy aircraft carried out their second night raid on the Suez canal zone in this week.

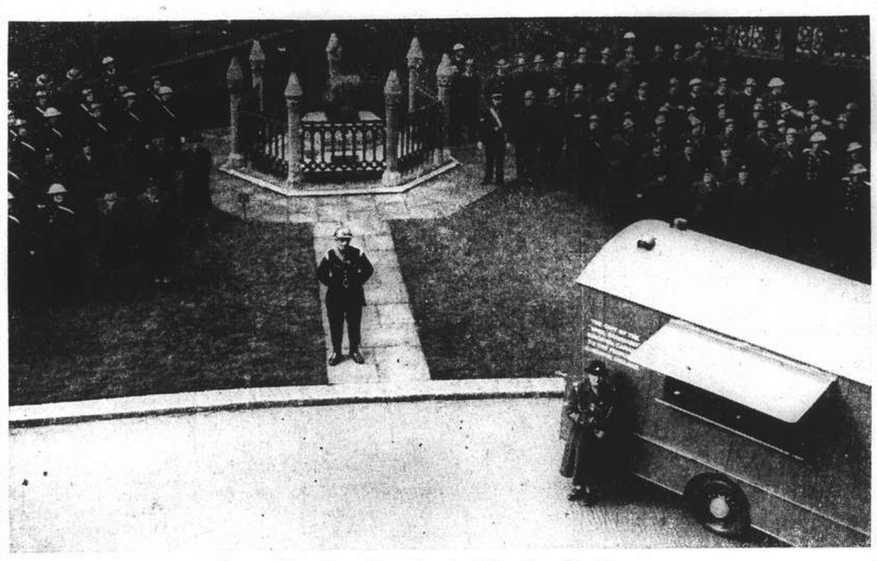
An official communique issued by the Egyptian Ministry of Defence states that slight damage was caused.—Reuter.

New British C.-in-C.

Jerusalem, May 11.

Lieut-General N. Maitland-Wilson has assumed command of the British forces in Palestine and Transjordan, it is officially announced.

Lieut-Gen. Maitland-Wilson commanded British forces in battles in Libya and Greece.—Reuter.



From Kingston, Canada, to Kingston-On-Thames

A general view of a ceremony which took place near the historic old Saxon coronation stone at Kingston-on-Thames when the town was presented with a mobile canteen from its namesake town in Canada, illustrating the bond of friendship which binds the people of Canada with the people of Britain. The stone is seen in the background.

Early Meeting Between Hitler, Stalin Seen

Observers Believe Stalin's Formal Assumption Of Power Suggests State of Emergency

London, May 11.

MOSCOW has chosen the present time for its withdrawal of recognition from the Belgian, Norwegian and Yugoslav Legations, probably for two reasons, writes "The Times" diplomatic correspondent.

"Stalin's assumption of formal power as the Prime Minister is recognition of a state of emergency and suggests that he may soon be taking part in important diplomatic conversations, which can only be with Germany.

Russo-German War Predicted by June

Soviets Said Stripping Many Towns In Readiness For Nazi Drive

Istanbul, May 9.

Prominent persons with whom I have talked in the past two days, during a two day trip from Rumania, predicted a Russo-German war in June, writes Harold Peters, United Press Staff Correspondent.

Rumania's newest passenger ships, the Bessarabia and Transylvania, built in Denmark and delivered just before the war, have been converted into armed cruisers mounting 150 milimetre guns.

After eight months of German occupation hope is reviving in Rumania that a Russo-German clash would divert the burden of the Germany army of 750,000 men now in Rumania.

During the two day passage from Rumania, prominent persons insisted the Russo-German war would be underway by June. Some even said that the Germans would be in Kiev and Odessa by June 15. Others spoke of German occupation of Moscow during the summer.

When I pointed out the high degree of wishful thinking involved in such beliefs, they cited reports, which I heard from three independent, first hand sources—that the Soviets have completely stripped Bessarabia and dug into the Dniester, supposedly in expectations of a quick German thrust.

A high source said Russians have removed telephone equipment from the capital of Kishineff. One eye witness, just returned from Kishineff, said the Russians had removed everything made of metal in Bessarabia—doorknobs, zinc roofing, telephone wires, and even plumbing where it existed. Fields have been left unplanted and some were even burned over. Cattle were driven across the Dniester as the Soviets withdrew.

The third report I heard was that six German submarines already have descended the Danube and have assembled in the Black Sea. The Russians, on the other hand, transported 24 submarines overland from the North Sea during the winter, it was said.

German sailors already have appeared on the streets of Bucharest, it was said, and more German craft were expected soon.—United Press.

"In an attempt to clear the ground between the Soviet Union and Germany, Stalin has removed a diplomatic stumbling block.

"Secondly, the latest action may be read as a broad hint to the British Government, which has not recognized the inclusion of the Baltic states in the Soviet Union, which is held on the Soviet side to be the main obstacle to better Anglo-Soviet relations."

The "News Chronicle" and the "Daily Herald" both mention reports suggesting that Hitler may be planning a meeting with Stalin soon.

The "News Chronicle" diplomatic correspondent writes:—"At such a meeting Hitler would put forward proposals giving Russia a completely free hand in the whole of Asia, including India and Japan, together with an outlet to the Persian Gulf through Iraq, in return for a guarantee of the present Russian frontiers in Europe.

"On the economic side Germany would ask for large-scale access to Russian supplies of raw materials, particularly Ukranian industrial products.

Fully Aware

"Stalin is fully aware that German preparations for an attack on Russia are complete. If Hitler's proposals seem to him to offer adequate promises of safety and aggrandizement for Russia, it is felt he will accept. If not, there will be no alternative but a settlement of Russo-German relations by war."

Discussing Stalin's assumption of the premiership, "The Times" Stockholm correspondent says: "The office of Prime Minister during a major war has greater directive power than Party leadership, and so Stalin becomes the Prime Minister holding both key posts ready to face any emergency.

"Stalin's 'promotion' may be interpreted as reflecting the fact that he considers Soviet participation in the war not to be improbable, and that he is determined to figure both as the real and the formal head of a government functioning in accordance with the Stalin constitution.

"The question arises, for which side would Soviet Russia enter the war? The reply is: she would enter it for neither side, but solely for the sake of Soviet interests and doctrines. But against which side? The embattled frontiers of Poland and Rumanian and other signs suggest that it is not directly against Britain. It is scarcely likely that Stalin will begin a war unless he is quite convinced it is inevitable, then he may take the initiative rather than allow Hitler to choose the time and place or places."—Reuter.

U.S. Naval Units In Indian Ocean?

New York, May 11.

A United States naval squadron is now stationed in the Indian Ocean, according to Mr. Drew Pearson and Mr. Robert Allen, well-known columnists, writing in the "New York Daily Mirror." Its purpose they add, is to guard the Red Sea route, prevent German-Japanese shipping co-operation should the Nazis succeed in taking Suez and to relieve the British navy of additional duties.—Reuter.

Shipping Losses Impress U.S.

American Public Opinion Altered by Big Figures; Banner Headlines

Washington, May 11.

The figures of British shipping losses issued in London were not received in time for comment yesterday, but their publication here under big headlines has undoubtedly made a profound impression.

Radio commentators giving the news stressed that the figures had been issued earlier than intended owing to the pressure of American public opinion, which thought that the information was being withheld.

The figures made public on Wednesday by Senator Vandenberg suggesting that Britain was winning the Battle of the Atlantic "hands down" had been seized on by the Isolationists as "proof" that further American aid at sea was unnecessary.

It is now generally realized that these figures, which were supplied to Senator Vanderberg by Rear-Admiral Land, gave an incomplete picture. The publication of the real losses will undoubtedly have an effect on Congress.—Reuter.

Nazi Self-Deception Illustrated

German Seamen Unaware Of True Situation

London, May 11.

Striking evidence of the way in which even the personnel of the German Navy are misled by their own propaganda is furnished by the report of the chief officer of the San Casimiro, which was captured by the Gneisenau.

The Gneisenau put a prize crew aboard. The officer in charge, who spoke English well, was quite friendly and anxious to talk. The San Casimiro's chief officer suggested to him that the Germans would be lucky if they got their prize through the British patrols, whereupon the German replied, "There are no British ships on the sea, so who is going to rescue you?"

It must have been a considerable shock to the German when, a few days later, he was intercepted by a British warship which took the whole prize crew prisoner.—Reuter.

Withdrawal of Iraqi Forces Admitted

Rebel Forces Retreating Everywhere in Face of Strong British Pressure; Early Victory Expected in London

Cairo, May 11.

THE situation, both in the Habbaniyah and Basrah area of Iraq, remains quiet, according to the G.H.Q. communique. From Habbaniyah, Imperial troops are maintaining contact with the dissident Iraqi detachments which have withdrawn to Ramadi and Fullujah.

Constant British bombardment forced Iraqi besiegers of the Habbaniyah aerodrome to withdraw to better positions last Tuesday, the Iraqi High Command announced on Friday, according to a D.N.B. despatch from Beirut yesterday.

However, the High Command said, "Iraqi artillery continued to fire on the British and intense fighting continued. Casualties on both sides were described as very heavy.

Iraqi planes successfully bombed a British munition dump Monday night. All planes returned safely to their bases, the High Command said.—United Press.

London Confident

London, May 10.

Well-informed quarters here expressed confidence today in an early British victory in Iraq. It was pointed out that Britain is dominant in the air, while Iraqi troops are retreating from the Habbaniyah sector. Only sporadic fighting between patrols is going on, it was reported.

One report from Cairo stated that the Iraqis were retreating to Fallujah and were also reported to have opened the dykes along the Euphrates river flooding the marshes covering most of the country between Fallujah and Baghdad in order to impede British pursuit.—Domei.

Oil Said Cut Off

London, May 11.

The claim that Rashid Ali has now "totally interrupted the oil supply to Haifa" is made by the official German news agency, quoting a Baghdad report received in Beirut.—Reuter.

Nazi Report

London, May 11.

The Berlin radio late yesterday said that, according to reports from Baghdad Iraqi troops have penetrated the Habbaniyah aerodrome and captured part of the territory. Stubborn fighting still was in progress, the radio said.—United Press.

Emir Shooting Denied

London, May 11.

Rumours that the Emir Abdullah of Transjordan had been shot, and wounded by his son Emir Talal are emphatically denied yesterday in a Damascus despatch to the Vichy news agency.

Reuters New York correspondent telegraphs that the rumours, which were published in America, are believed to have been inspired by German interests in an attempt to minimize the effects of the Emir's appeal for support from Britain against the Iraqi rebels.

Attack Described

British action against Iraqi rebels in the Rutbah fort is described in a despatch from a British correspondent who had been out in the desert of western Iraq for some days.

The fort is an isolated post "about 200 miles from anywhere" and is near the pipe-line to Haifa. It has been a useful refuelling station for civil aircraft en route to India, and also served as a rest house for motorists travelling from Baghdad to Haifa.

It had been officially announced in Cairo that rebels holding the aerodrome at Rutbah had surrendered almost as soon as British forces appeared, and that the R.A.F. had taken over.

Then it was found, however, that the fort itself was held by a strong and well-equipped detachment of Iraqi troops and police. Early on Friday morning, the correspondent says, a mobile force under a British commander lay hidden in the folds of the desert at the approach to the fort. At 6 a.m. the R.A.F. dropped an ultimatum on the rebels to surrender within an hour. No surrender was signalled and the first bomber went over at 7 o'clock.

Relays of machines then attacked the fort. Legionnaires, direct successors of the famous force of Col. Lawrence of Arabia, closed in as near to the fort as they could go without danger from the British bombs.

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Liberation Will Come From West

Queen Wilhelmina Sure Of Final Victory Over German Invaders

London, May 11.

Wilhelmina, exiled queen of the Netherlands, in two broadcasts commemorating the first anniversary of the invasion of her country, yesterday urged all her subjects to stand firm for final victory in which she expressed complete confidence.

The first broadcast was for Hollanders throughout the world, and especially to those in Holland. The second was directed to Britons.

"Persevere in your excellent way," she told them. "Keep your eyes on the West, from whence will come our liberation."

U.S. Aid

Emphasizing the importance of American aid Queen Wilhelmina said:

"Compatriots at home, you still are facing hard times. The tremendous equipment which the American people, under the leadership of President Roosevelt, are manufacturing for our cause, is still only partly ready. But of one thing we can be sure. They will not stop at merely the promise of help. Neither will the President and his people rest until victory has been won."

She charged Germany with violating "the most elementary human rights" in treatment of occupied Holland.

Nation Firm

"At the end of this year of trial I can declare with justifiable pride that our country stands firm, more united, more determined and stronger as the tempest of world events swirls around them and they fight for national existence."

"From Curaco to New Guinea," Queen Wilhelmina told Britons in her second broadcast, "the Dutch Empire stands fast. Daily my people have found their ways to hamper the invader, ways of which I can not tell you here, but of which I daily see fresh evidence.

"Chancellor Hitler succeeded in invading Dutch territory, but he never succeeded in breaking the Dutch spirit."

Queen Wilhelmina thanked President Roosevelt Colonel Henry L. Stimson, Secretary of War and Dutch-Americans for their assistance to the Allied cause.—United Press.

U.S. Wheat Referendum

Washington, May 11.

Mr. Claude R. Wickard, Secretary of Agriculture, yesterday ordered a referendum of U.S. wheat growers for May 31 to decide whether to impose marketing restrictions on an estimated bumper wheat crop of 858.000,000 bushels. It would be the first wheat referendum in U.S. history and would require a two-thirds majority of the growers to decide the issue.—United Press.

California Clipper Reaches Singapore

Singapore, May 11.

The Pan-American airways California Clipper, inaugurating the new San Francisco-Singapore service, arrived here yesterday morning. An R.A.F. escort of five American-made Brewster Buffalo fighters escorted her on the last few miles of this flight.—Reuter.

British Naval Units Drive Off Axis Air Attacks in the Mediterranean

Seven Enemy Aircraft Shot Down in Repeated Raids On Warships; Two Fighters Missing

London, May 11.

German and Italian aircraft made repeated attacks throughout the afternoon and evening of May 8 on British naval forces during operations in the Western Mediterranean. The result, according to an Admiralty communique, was the loss of seven of the attackers without any damage being sustained by any of the British ships.

One British fighter is missing and another lost, but the crew of the second were saved. As each attack developed, says the communique, it was intercepted and broken up by naval fighter aircraft, and subsequently driven off by them and by the anti-aircraft guns of the squadron.

The enemy attacks were made by torpedo-bomber aircraft by high-level bombers escorted by fighters, and by dive-bombers escorted by fighters. In one case, a formation of 25 dive-bombers escorted by fighters was intercepted, and brilliantly broken up and driven off by naval fighters before the attack could materialize.

The losses inflicted on the enemy were three torpedo-bombers and one Savoia bomber destroyed by anti-aircraft fire and two torpedo-bombers severely damaged. Naval fighters shot down one Junkers dive-bomber and two Savoia bombers, and severely damaged three other aircraft. In addition to these casualties, damage is known to have been inflicted on other enemy aircraft.—Reuter.

Further Italian Claims

Rome, May 11.

Italian aviation on Friday afternoon attacked another British convoy in the Mediterranean, the naval correspondent of the Italian news agency Stefani said yesterday.

The second convoy was attacked near Crete. Fascist torpedo planes hit one 7,000 ton cruiser and two steamers averaging 15.000 tons each, the correspondent said.

All three ships were seen listing and were believed to have sunk during the night, said the despatch. The convoy, the correspondent said, consisted of four freighters escorted by six warships.—United Press.

Spanish Guns Said Ready for Action

Franco Still Unwilling to Co-operate with Hitler

New York, May 11.

Private and reliable advices to the United Press from Europe yesterday said that Spain nearly has completed twin defence lines at Algeciras and Tangier.

Big guns at both places are so trained that they can close the entrance to the Mediterranean whenever necessary, thus ignoring the importance of Gibraltar, it was said.

However, it was understood that until and if the Germans capture Suez and dominate that canal, thus sealing the other end of the Mediterranean, Generalissimo Francisco Franco will not decide whether to close the Mediterranean entrance.

Chancellor Hitler recently invited Gen. Franco to adhere to the Axis, said the same advices, but the Generalissimo politely excused himself, advancing reasons already known.

Gen. Franco added that Spain intended to maintain its present status until the Germans capture Suez, whereupon Spain would decide her policy and any decisive action thereanent.—United Press.

Thrilling Account of R.A.F. Exploits in Greece Told

How Unarmed Civilian Planes Flew In Danger Areas Again and Again To Lead Empire Troops to Safety

By Wing Commander L. V. Fraser
Special to the "N.C.D.N."

London, May 11.

HOW unarmed British civilian planes again and again flew in danger areas to bring Empire troops safely out of Greece, how fifteen Hurricanes attacked 100 German aircraft in the Athens air battle destroying 22, and how in a fiercely burning Sunderland flyingboat two centre gunners kept blazing away at an enemy bomber until they saw the Stuka crash towards the sea. These are some of the stories I can now tell about the R.A.F.'s six months' campaign in Greece.

The campaign began when Mussolini gave the first order for aggression against Greece and the R.A.F. fought on until the bitter end of the evacuation. No aircraft was moved until ground strafing by the enemy became so intense that it would have been madness to keep the aircraft there any longer.

In the closing stages of the campaign pilots and crews went into action with the certain knowledge that they were outnumbered by fifteen or twenty to one. In the Athens battle 100 German aircraft attempted a mass attack on the docks. Every available Hurricane was put up to attack them. Twenty-two out of 100 German aircraft were destroyed, seven British planes lost—exactly half their total strength.

Personal exploits during the evacuation produced hundreds of heroes but none greater than the pilots and crews of the Sunderland flying boats and the civilian personnel of the British Overseas Airways Corporation. The latter were called on in the emergency to pilot their huge civil flying boats which carry no armament of any kind to give help during the evacuation. They flew their craft right into danger areas

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French Warning to U.S. On Dakar

Paris Press Headlines De Brinon Statement

Vichy, May 11.

Paris morning newspapers yesterday gave three-column headlines to the statement of M. Fernand de Brinon, French Ambassador-at-Large in Paris, that France would resist any U.S. attempt to occupy Dakar.

M. de Brinon had told American correspondents that "if the United States tries to occupy Dakar it must occupy it by force. French warships, including the Richelieu, are ready to defend Dakar, he said.—United Press.

New Japanese Naval Commander Here

Tokyo, May 11.

The Navy Ministry announced at 2 o'clock this afternoon the appointment of Rear-Admiral Kumeichi Hiraokaa as Commander of the Japanese Naval Forces in Shanghai. Rear-Admiral Hiraoka will succeed Rear-Admiral Masashi Kobayashi who has been appointed member of the Naval Staff Board.—Domei.

Strike Breaks Out Among Mechanics in San Francisco Bay; 1,900 Affected

Plea from Col. Frank Knox Disregarded by Workers In Important Defence Industry Factories

New York, May 11.

Labour unrest among defence industries increased throughout the United States yesterday as 1,900 mechanics in the San Francisco Bay area went on strike.

The mechanics disregarded a plea from Col. Frank Knox, Secretary of the Navy, to remain at work because of the vital nature of their employment.

The strike affects, US$500,000,000 worth of vital contracts, including four cruisers, and 27 destroyers. If the absence of key mechanics continues into next week it may also throw out of work 25,000 other shipyard workers.

At the present time 25 other strikes, all minor, affecting approximately 38,000 defence workers, are in effect.

Meanwhile a strike still threatened in the General Motors Corporation's 61 plants, where 165,000 workers demand 10 cents an hour wage increases. The plants are handling US$75,000,000 worth of defence contracts.

President Roosevelt may be asked to intervene and prevent the strike by arbitration, it was reported.

Pacific Sailings Agreed To

The National Maritime Union yesterday agreed to permit sailings of three freighters across the Pacific, with any subsequent war risk compensation allowed by operators to be extended to the crews.

The union demanded a US$2 daily bonus for crew members, while in dangerous waters, and also a US$50 bonus for each Red Sea and Gulf of Aden port touched.

The demands were delaying departures of the Harry Luckenbach, which was loading, the Sea Witch, which is en route to the Far East, and the McKeesport, en route to Australia.

The President Lines has chartered the Harry Luckenbach while the American Pioneer Lines operates the other two, all of which were diverted to the Pacific to speed strategic shipments.—United Press.

Anti-Semitic Laws Financed by Vichy

Jews in France To Be Reduced to Rank of Farm And Factory Labourers

Vichy, May 11.

Marshal Philippe Petain, by a decree in today's Official Journal, established credits of 2,065,000 francs for enactment of French anti-Jewish laws and for functioning of a new high commissariat of Jewish affairs.

The commissariat was recently established under M. Xavier Vallat. Its offices are in the former Louis Dreyfus bank in Paris.

Meanwhile, from Paris came reports that occupation authorities applied increasingly rigorous new measures against Jews in Paris and occupied provinces. Foreign Jews especially were singled out. The measures ban Jews from ownership of a score of businesses not mentioned in previous regulations.

The new German influenced anti-Jewish edicts prepared by Vichy were superimposed on the recent French measures which by comparison were not so severe.

The new measures, effective on May 20, forbid Jews to engage in any of the following economic activities:

Forbidden Activities

Wholesale or retail commerce, hotels or resturants, insurance, advertising or travel agencies, guides or transportation of any sort, including renting automobiles; pawnbrokers, navigation, warehousing, shipping by land, sea or air; banks, exchange offices, private police or detective agencies or tipsters or in information offices, collecting agencies, matrimonial agencies, rental agencies, and employment agencies. Thus far they have not been banned from newspaper work.

They were forbidden to act as travelling salesman or agents of other intermediaries in marketing of merchandise.

Jews can not hold jobs in any other businesses where they can give orders to non-Jews, nor can they hold jobs giving them a share in the profits.

Jews discharged from present employment as result of the new measures have no legal claim to damages and employers were forbidden, under severe penalty, to pay them damages.

All jobs vacated by Jews must be filled by Aryans. In firms where Jewish employees held part of the capital stock, Aryan administrators may be named to sell out the Jewish owned shares.

Administrators also were forbidden to pay over any lump sum to Jews and they must be given only sums absolutely indispensable to their existence.

More Severe

The new edicts also were more severe than any previous measure because they class as a Jew any person belonging to the Jewish religious community or who now is married to a Jew or who marries a Jew henceforth.

Any one with three or more Jewish grandparents is classed as a pure-race Jew, even though he or she since has abandoned the Jewish religion and has been baptised in the Catholic or a Protestant faith.

The new edicts should have the effect of making it impossible for a Jew to engage in any financial or commercial enterprise and to reduce Jews to the rank of farm or factory labourers.—United Press.

★Withdrawal of Iraqi Forces Admitted

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The correspondent, who watched the fighting, said he had talked with a friend who had flown to the R.A.F. situation at Habbaniyah and back, the later stating that the stuation at Habbaniyah was calm.

"Tourists" in Syria

Hundreds of Nazi "tourists" have arrived in Syria and Lebanon, says a Jerusalem despatch to the Independent French news agency which adds that it is expected their number will increase to 500 within the next two weeks. The former German Vice-Consul at Beirut is directing operations.

Through the Italian Armistice Commission civil and military espionage is rife in mandated territories according to the message.—Reuter.

Report on Diplomatic Services Now Ready

London, May 11.

British diplomatic and consular services will be the subject of a report which the Foreign Secretary, Mr. Anthony Eden, will shortly receive from Sir Malcolm Robertson. Some time ago Mr. Eden requested Sir Malcolm to investigate the possibilities of improving rusting foreign office machinery, diplomatic and consular services, and their methods of recruitment and general organization. Sir Malcolm Robertson retired from his appointment as Ambassador to Buenos Aires in 1930, and has since been engaged in commerce as a director of a large concern.—Reuter.

Government Changes in Spain Place More Franco Supporters in Key Posts

No Immediate Explanation of Rapid Reshuffle Forthcoming from Madrid

Madrid, May 11.

Swift changes have placed strong Franco supporters in key Government posts. No explanation of the changes was immediately forthcoming here.

Falangist party newspapers will be placed under official censorship, it was understood here yesterday, following appointment of Colonel Valentin Galarza as Minister of the Interior.

The Government on Friday also announced appointment of Sr. Jose Maria Caballero as Director General of National Security; Sr. Manuel Mora Figueroa, as Governor of Madrid, replacing Sr. Miguel Primo de Rivera, son of the late dictator; Sr. Antonio Iruimendi, as Under-Secretary of the Interior, and Sr. Felip Giminiz Sadoval, as Chief of the Foreign Office Secretariat.—United Press.

Madrid, May 11.

There is still no comment on the governmental changes though the evening papers, like the morning papers, give great prominence to the news.

In an article headed "Ourselves and the War," the newspaper "Pueblo" says: "Since the conflict started, Spain has followed it as one persuaded that her deepest destinies are concerned, but also as one who has obtained sufficient maturity to see matters with his own eyes."

The "Pueblo" adds: "While Spain is still resolved to undertake her own work of historical aggrandizement, the most urgent task that Spaniards should set themselves should be the the task of rebuilding Spain."—Reuter.

★Luftwaffe Loses 33 Planes over London

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ments of stonework from shattered buildings.

Blue-coated, steel-helmeted police regulars and reserves kept danger zones clear of unauthorized individuals while groups of fire-fighters, women as well as men, stood ready to deal with fire bombs, ignoring the danger of high-explosives or splinters of shells from anti-aircraft guns. One auxiliary fire service station received a direct hit, but there were no casualties. A club also was wrecked by a direct hit.

Long Raid

The German bombers were over the London area from shortly before midnight until nearly dawn. They rained thousands of incendiaries in their third big attempt to set fire to the capital. London fire fighters took up the challenge and all through the night they fought grimly to bring the outbreaks under control.

An observer on a roof-top said it was the most awe-inspiring spectacle ever seen in the capital. Blazing buildings stood out in sharp relief and the brilliant moonlight was blotted out by smoke. Then, as the bombers showered more incendiaries, the city seemed to be one huge glare of light.

Ground fire was lighter than usual and the roar of British fighters could be heard as they chased the bombers. The observer said he had watched all the big raids on London but had never seen anything like this.

Soon after dawn Londoners came out of their shelters to find the firemen still playing their hoses on charred buildings, while the first traffic of the day bumped cautiously over the wreckage.

Full Moon

Raiders were over London in force last night. The moon was at the full.

The raid quickly developed into the heaviest on the capital since another Saturday night three weeks ago (April 19). The planes came over in rapid succession. The wicked scream of high-explosives mingled with the clatter of "Molotov baskets," and the barking of anti-aircraft guns formed an unholy symphony played against a background of a brilliant moonlit sky

After opening the raid with fire-bombs, the raiders dropped many heavy high-explosive bombs. The attack soon began to develop on a big scale. More and more incendiaries were unloaded. The raiders swooped low to release their bombs.

Householders declared that they seemed to be "almost as low as the housetops" in some districts. High-explosive were dropped just before a load of incendiaries presumably with the object of intimidating by this new technique the fire-fighting services, but it did not stop the fire-watchers and firemen from getting out on their job.

A Nazi bomber was reported shot down in flames early yesterday morning.

When one bomb was dropped in a street market, there were some casualties and some people were trapped in debris.

Heroic Deed

Mortally wounded when a German raider swooped down and machine-gunned a passenger train between two towns in south England yesterday evening, the driver stopped the train with the assistance of the fireman, who also was wounded, and backed to the safety of a nearby station.

The driver died shortly afterwards in a hospital, to which the fireman and a passenger were also taken.

The additional German bomber which was destroyed by anti-aircraft fire on Thursday night brings the total of German aircraft brought down during the first ten nights of May to 91—a new monthly record. Ninety were destroyed at night during the whole of April.

Four Nazi bombers so far are reported shot down in last night's raid. When the first bomber crashed, there was a heavy anti-aircraft barrage, said an observer, "the plane was flying very high and suddenly it burst into flames—a ball of fire in the sky. It took a long time to come down and, when it hit the ground, it exploded with a flash that could be seen for miles."

Shortly afterwards, two more bombers were reported down. One went spinning down in a spiral dive after machine-gunning had been heard. A fourth plane was reported by observers to explode in mid-air and hurtle to earth.

Slight Activity

There was activity by enemy fighters over south-east England yesterday, but no bombs were dropped, it was reported in the official communique last night, which states that a train was machine-gunned and some of the passengers wounded. There was nothing to report from any other area.

The communique adds that it is now known that a third aircraft was shot down by anti-aircraft gunfire on the night of May 8-9, making a total of 14 destroyed that night.—Reuter.

A tiled fireplace should not be washed with soap and water. Instead, rub over daily with a rag dipped in turpentine.

Horsemeat Sold As Meat Roll

English Housewives Find New Roll Palatable

They are mostly North-country and Midlands housewives, and the horse meat is contained in a meat roll, or galantine, which is being manufactured in ever-increasing quantities in London (writes a "Sunday Dispatch" Reporter).

It is made and canned in a factory in Barking. "We used to make chicken-and-ham galantine," Mr. Albert Smith, managing director, told me.

"When it became impossible to get further supplies we had to find a substitute, and some two months ago I hit on the idea of using horse meat.

"The roll is perfectly wholesome. It contains ground wheat rusks, a fair proportion of horse meat, and seasoning.

"The meat is not slaughtered locally. It comes to us in sealed metal containers from Lincolnshire, boned.

"With each supply there is a certificate that it is free from disease and fit for human consumption.

Inspected

"Every stage of the manufacture is carefully watched, and local food inspectors visit the factory three or four times a week.

"Not an ounce of horse meat goes into the roll that has not been passed as fit for human consumption several times.

"I am a butcher with 25 years' experience, my father was a butcher. I had never handled horse meat before in my life, and I am frankly surprised at its excellent quality.

"The roll is put into tins of 2¼lb. and 3lb. From us it passes to five or six wholesale agents, and I believe a lot of it goes to the north.

"It is sold retail in the shops at a price ranging from 1s. 4d. to 1s. 6d. per lb.

Labelled

"At every stage there is a notification that the roll contains horse meat. A label stating that is on each case; a label bearing the words 'Meat Roll. Contains Horse Meat' is on the face of each tin. Every invoice has the words 'Contains Horse Meat.' The retailer is supposed to tell his customers.

"We started making this roll in quite a small way. Today we could sell ten times our output."

A medical officer of the Food and Drugs Department of the Ministry of Health told a "Sunday Dispatch" representative:—

"The Government has no objection to the consumption of horse flesh—and indeed might look upon it as a desirable thing in view of restricted meat supplies, provided the customer knows what he is getting."—"Sunday Dispatch."

Japan Urged to Move South at Once

Writer Says Clash with U.S. Inevitable

Tokyo, May 11.

Urging immediate realisation of the "southward advance policy," Mr. Soho Tokutomi, veteran political commentator and well-known publicist of the "Nichi-Nichi Shimbun," says an American-Japanese collision is a foregone conclusion, therefore it would be the height of folly for Japan to elect to ignore this danger.

Mr. Tokutomi quotes an old proverb to the effect that the best way to kill a snake is to strike at its head instead of its tail, and observes that similarly the best way to realise Japan's programme in Asia is to "deal appropriately with the Anglo-Saxon nations which are controlling Gen. Chiang Kai-shek."

He adds that China and the United States already are so close that the Washington and Chungking Governments are a "single entity as far as Japan is concerned. It would be nearer the truth to say that Gen. Chiang is fighting for America rather than to say America is aiding Gen. Chiang."

Mr. Tokutomi believes that M. Josef Stalin's assumption of the Soviet premiership must be interpreted as preparation for new world events of "epochal importance."—Reuter.

Chevalier Refuses To Appear in Paris

Prevented From Devoting Part Takings to Charity

The "Sunday Express" has this news of Paris theatre stars, sent from the erstwhile gay capital in letters by way of New York.

Maurice Chevalier has refused to appear in Paris because the Nazi authorities would not allow him to devote part of his takings to charities in Unoccupied France, as he had stipulated—this, though he is said to have contracted with the head of the Casino de Paris, Henri Varna, to star there this month.

Chevalier lately returned, from entertaining French troops interned in neutral Switzerland, to Marseilles, now his home.

Josephine Baker, that dusky dancer who some time ago flew from Lisbon to Marseilles, there to play lead in operetta at the Opera House, has been refused Nazi permission to star in a Paris revue.

Playing Happily

Mistinguett, whose legs made legs even more popular in Paris than they were before, is in Unoccupied France, where is not stated.

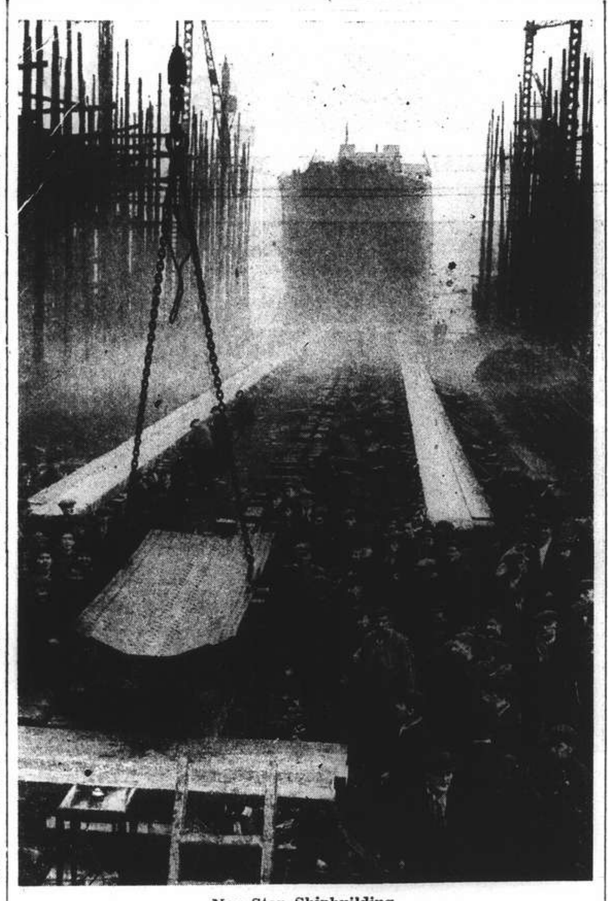
Sacha Guitry, on the other hand, and his wife—who used to be Genevieve St. Jean—are playing happily at the Elysée, which he has leased, announcing that he will stay in Paris.

They last appeared in London in 1939, at the India Office, before the King and Queen and visiting President Lebrun, with Sir Seymour Hicks.

Lucienne (Parlez-moi d'Amour) Boyer also remains in the capital, at her own club; she is "acclaimed the most popular cabaret star here now."

About ten English girls are still dancing in Paris revues. Most of them are married to Frenchmen.

A faded frock may be made perfectly white by boiling it in water to which cream of tartar has been added.



Non-Stop Shipbuilding

This is the sort of thing that will beat Hitler. The photograph shows workmen in the foreground slinging into position the first plate of a new keel before the hull of a new merchantman they have just built is properly off the slipways.

★R.A.F. Exploits in Greece Told

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again and again, returning safely with tremendous human cargoes.

Reconnaissance Work

Back and forth the Sunderlands made their journeys. On one trip 85 persons were carried safely in one flyingboat whose normal maximum loads are 25 and 35. The pilots had to fly during the night and over land unknown to their crews. Nor was their work finished when the aircraft were brought back safely to their bases. During daylight they had to make normal reconnaissance their most important work during this precarious manœuvre. Having little food and perhaps an hour's sleep before taking off, the pilots and crews had to set off again on their return from prolonged flights over the Mediterranean. Some of the men had less than six hours' sleep in as many days and nights on end.

A Sunderland was refuelling off Athens when it was attacked by five JU-88's. The latter carried out seven attacks. During the third the Sunderland and its refuelling tender were set on fire. Despite the flames the crew remained at their post. Two of the centre gunners, one of whom could not swim, blazed away at the enemy in the direction of Stuka, bringing down one of their planes which crashed into the sea. They continued to fire at the attackers until the flyingboat was a mass of flames and had foundered beneath them. The crew then made for the shore, the second pilot towing towards safety a non-swimmer who kept himself afloat with his lifejacket.

Personal Exploits

The squadron leader of the Flying-boat Squadron brought a large refuelling motorboat towards safety all the way from Athens laden with hundreds of gallons of valuable petrol. He travelled at night hugging the east coast of Greece and hiding his boat with blankets during the day from prying German aircraft. Aboard with him were two nursing sisters who had been rescued from Athens by three British and one Greek airmen. The squadron leader fitted out the boat with four machine-guns which he had found in Athens and a wireless set which kept him in touch with his base. One night he spent doing ferry work taking passengers on board a Sunderland. He then went on his way leaving the two nurses safe aboard the flyingboat.

"I advised him by radio to leave the petrol ship behind," his commanding officer said, "as I thought the job dangerous enough without having all that petrol on the deck, but the squadron leader said he was going to bring it back and bring it back he did."

Then there is the Blenheim fighter which was shot up on the ground at a ruined aerodrome. The tail wheel had gone and the crumpled rudder rested on the ground. A pilot, an American who had enlisted as a Canadian, clambered into the cockpit and started the engines while another pilot found a wheeled trolley and pushed it under the damaged tail, and as the aircraft gathered speed he chased down the runway keeping the trolley in position until the tail was in the air. The plane got back, was repaired and flew day and night in defence of British convoys.

Gallantry in the Air

A twin-engined fighter squadron in addition to a crew of three which each aircraft carried, brought out 370 men and women in three days' service. When no more were left they carried on guarding convoys.

Two intelligence officers remained behind to destroy important documents and then found their aircraft a burning wreck on the ground. They boarded a tiny steamer, but were soon blown out in the sea by two bombs. They swam ashore towards an island, made for the mainland in a caique (a small rowing boat), and eventually reported at headquarters that the job was done. Not until the job has been done did the R.A.F. leave Greece.

It is the considered view of expert observers that the primary cause of the apparent lack of air support for the troops when they were called upon to withdraw was due to the fact that the R.A.F. had to evacuate air bases on the Larissa Plain. This meant good airfields would be available for the enemy instead of for the British and that the remaining British aircraft had withdrawn to aerodromes near Athens—known to the enemy and easily attacked.

Once the Germans had possession of the Larissa Plain aerodromes, the enemy fighters were within reach of all British aerodromes, but British fighters could not reach the main enemy bases. Even so the R.A.F. won striking successes in driving off large concentrated attacks by German fighters and diver-bombers and the number of Germans made prisoners subsequently testified to the accuracy and deadly effectiveness of the R.A.F. strafing their columns.

Finally in a vital period the weather turned against Britain. Cold and fog came down like a blanket for five days during which the Germans were able to get mechanized and other forces in position. Even during that period R.A.F. bombers flew, although no enemy aircraft left the ground. But for those five days' bad weather it is believed that the British bombers would have stopped the German getting round to Monastir Gap when they did

Axis Said Prepared For U.S. Entry

London, May 11.

The Italian newspaper "Popolo di Roma" declared today that in Rome and Berlin it is very well-known that the formal entry of the United States into the war would not save the situation, and adds that plans against American intervention already have been drawn by the Axis.—Reuter.

Florence Nightingale Memory Honoured

China Nurses Association Hold Ceremony

Yesterday afternoon over 350 graduate and under-graduate nurses of the Nurses Association of China gathered together at the Community Church to do honour to the memory of Florence Nightingale, whose birthday falls on May 12. After the group had collected on the spacious lawn by the side of the church a photograph was taken and then at 3 o'clock sharp they lined up for the processional into the church to the strains of the music played by Mr. R. V. Dent, at the organ.

The Commemoration Service was presided over by Miss Lilian Wu, President of the Shanghai Branch of the Nurses' Association of China, under whose auspices the meeting had been called.

After the singing of the first two verses of the N.A.C. hymn, the Rev. E. S. Yu, Pastor of St. Peter's Church, led in prayer and Scripture reading. Seven members of the Woman's Christian Medical College rendered a selection of special music and this was followed by an address by Miss Revena Tien, the General Secretary of the Nurses' Association of China, to the 70 members of this year's graduating classes, who were occupying the special seats in the choir. Also in the choir seats was Mrs. P. C. Shen in a nurse's uniform, who gave an excellent rendering of the solo "Ave Maria." Pastor Yu then spoke at length in eulogistic terms regarding the one whose life and work was again being brought back to memory, and the meeting closed with the benediction and the Recessional.

$4,490 Stolen From Shipping Hongs

Robbers Pretend to Be Armed, Open Safe

The Tsoong Yoong and Chi Hsian shipping hongs occupying the same office at 131 Hankow Road were visited by ten robbers yesterday afternoon, one in foreign attire, who pretended to be armed by holding their hands in their gowns, and stole $4,490 in Chinese banknotes and yen.

The robbers intimidated several clerks and coolies of the hongs and forced them to surrender the key of the safe from where the money was obtained. The robbers escaped before the alarm was raised.

Japanese Advance In Fifth War Zone

Gains Claimed in Drive In South Shansi; Many Towns Occupied

Hankow, May 11.

Cutting through Chungking resistance in a sweeping drive over a 400-kilometre front in the Chungking Fifth War Zone, Japanese forces last night were reported to have inflicted crushing defeats on parts of General Li Tsung-jen's powerful army of 200,000.

As the Japanese multi-pronged offensive gathered momentum, scores of small villages and towns were reported to have fallen into Japanese hands. Among the larger places captured were Tangwangtien, 50 kilometres north-west of Suihsien, and Suiyangtien where the headquarters of the Chungking 45th Army were situated.

Crushing a Chungking force of 500, Japanese forces smashed into Tashanmiao. Later, the same detachment reduced Tanghsuehchen, approximately 40 kilometres west of Suihsien.—Domei.

In South Shansi

With Japanese Forces in Southern Shansi, May 10.

Moving separately, Japanese columns today scored heavily in their respective drives against Chungking concentrations in southern Shansi province, front line reports reaching headquarters revealed.

One column, according to dispatches, smashed a large enemy concentration near Yangchengkaoyai, approximately 16 kilometres south-west of Yuanku, while four other units trapped and inflicted heavy casualties on a large enemy concentration near Shihchiachwang, 20 kilometres west of Yuanku.

Chungking forces at Hupachwang, 20 kilometres south of Kaolochen, were defeated by Japanese, the reports stated, adding that other enemy forces west of Wangmaochen, 10 kilometres north-west of Yuanku, were scattered.—Domei.

Chungking Toll Raid Small

Chungking, May 11.

The first week of aerial bombardment of Chungking has revealed that so far there have been few casualties any very little property damage while the down-town section of the city is almost untouched.

It is also significant that the number of aircraft participating in the raids is far fewer than those which came over last year and even fewer than those used two years ago. During last week the raiders appeared to concentrate on the western suburbs. Though some bombs were dropped on the down-town business section on May 3, on the Yangtze River front down-town May 9, and the north bank of the Chialing River yesterday, the majority of bombs dropped in the three raids landed on the western suburbs.—Reuter.

Mr. Gauss At Kobe

Kobe, May 11.

The new United States Ambassador to China, Mr. Clarence E. Gauss, arrived here today in the ss. President Garfield. He declined to comment on political affairs. Mr. Gauss will continue in the same ship to Hongkong, via Shanghai, and from Hongkong will fly to Chungking.—United Press.

Ships Seized by U.S. May Sail Under Guard

Proposal Put Forward by Rear-Admiral Land

Washington, May 11.

A declaration that it is possible United States Marines or coastguardsmen might be placed as guards aboard foreign ships seized by the United States and sent into non-war zones under their own flags was made by Rear-Admiral Emory S. Land, chairman of the United States Maritime Commission, in testimony given before the Senate Commerce Committee, which was published yesterday.

Admiral Land stated that some of these foreign ships "May be chartered and used in a blackout at sea, if they run under their own flag".

According to a record of the testimony given before the Committee, Senator Arthur H. Vanderberg, asked: "Do you mean you would have a ship at sea under a foreign flag policed by American marines or sailors?". Admiral Land replied: "That would be possible."

Statement Expected

President Roosevelt is expected to make one of the most important statements on foreign policy for several months when he addresses the members of the Latin-America Mission which visits the United States on Wednesday.

Some well-informed legislators predict the address will clarify many existing questions regarding the lengths to which the United States will go to ensure the safe delivery of war supplies to Great Britain.

For that reason Administration leaders have decided to delay a showdown in the Senate on the convoy issued.—Reuter.

Vichy Condemns Absent Free-French To Death

Vichy, May 11.

Four men, supporters of Gen. de Gaulle (leader of the free French) were condemned to death in their absence by the Clermont Ferrand military tribunal yesterday. Twelve were sentenced to hard-labour for life, six to 20 years detention and 20 years banishment, 18 to 10 years imprisonment and 10 to one year's imprisonment.—Reuter.

Japanese Savings Grow

Tokyo, May 11.

Japan's national savings during the 1940-1941 fiscal year, the goal for which was set at Yen 12,000,000,000, totalled Yen 12,817,000,000, an excess of Yen 817,000,000 over the official goal and an increase of Yen 2,615,000,000 over the previous year, according to the National Savings Encouragement Bureau of the Finance Ministry. Of this amount, postal savings aggregated Yen 1,715,000,000, while bank deposits aggregated Yen 4,981,000,000.—Domei.

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Uncensored News From Norway

Crudity of Nazi Propaganda Shown ; Effects Of German Domination on People Analyzed

POURING ridicule upon the Nazi puppets who are at present in control of Norway, under the domination of the Germans, Mr. K. A. Persen, well-known Norwegian resident, on Sunday night exposed the crudity and bombast of Nazi propaganda in his own country. He was speaking from Station XMHA in his regular series of Sunday evening broadcasts.

In a review of the effects of the German invasion, Mr. Persen outlined present conditions in food, housing, unemployment, the business world, coal and fuel, and fishing, and contrasted the unhappy state of Norway today with the comparatively flourishing conditions before the German invasion. Mr. Persen said:—

A copy, dated April 9, 1941, of "Free People," the chief propaganda sheet of the traitors, has come into my possession together with the complete text of the proclamations of warning which the Nazis are exhibiting everywhere in Norway. The latter, definite proof of the legalized terror in my country, is indeed a sinister document, an appropriate complement of the "anniversary issue" of "Free People," which contains the Nazi version of that tragic April day in 1940. In addition to the regular edition this "anniversary issue" has a special supplement containing no less than 48 pages devoted to the day which arch-traitor Quisling states "was the beginning of a happy development for both countries" (Norway and Germany).

Two Great Fuehrers

Almost one half of the first page of this "newspaper-travesty" is devoted to pictures of the two "great" Germanic fuehrers, Hitler and Quisling. More than a third of the first page is headlining a statement by Quisling to the Norwegian people, but it is significant that he commences this statement by saying: "I want to establish in full agreement with the Reich-Commissar that at the coming conclusion of peace Norway will not become a German protectorate or a part of the Greater German Reich", and he continued: "My many years of declared friendship with Germany carry with them all personal and pertinent qualifications in order that from the German side it will be acknowledged that I, at the head of National Union, shall come to represent the entire Norway."

"Most of the space is taken up by Quisling's speech delivered on April 8, 1941, commemorating his emergence as the modern world's No. 1 Judas. It also contains a threatening statement by Terboven against those Norwegians who do not support the Nazis, and, of course, against England. Strangely enough Terboven quoted Shakespeare and stated that now it is a question for the Norwegians of "to be or not to be."

The leading article dealing with Quisling's speech must be somewhat of a slap in the face to the other Reichfuehrers in the Third Reich, since it appears from this editorial that there are actually only two great Germanic Nazi leaders. This is the concluding paragraph of this misleading article: "Above the tremendous and strange picture of the 9th of April—Germany's Norway's fateful day—loom two giant figures: Adolf Hitler and Vidkun Quisling—the two great Germanic leaders. Unostentatious and simple like the powers of nature and as mighty and irresitible." I do think it would be difficult to duplicate this utter lack of modesty.

What Might Have Been

But even Quisling's speech fades into the background when one beholds the "Supplement". It would be difficult indeed to imagine a more devastating proof of the want of psychology shown by these super-traitors. Only a reprint—in colours—could give you an adequate idea of this Nazi sign of degraded mentality. In the left corner is a photo showing Oslo's main street, Karl Johan Street, with the Royal Palace in the background—in peace time. Opposite and below are glaring and lurid efforts by a Nazi artist, both more than twice the size of the scene of peace, depicting the Luftwaffe pouring high explosives and incendiaries over the docks and adjacent buildings. Peaceful Karl Johan Street has been turned into a shambles, bombs are bursting everywhere and the artist is revelling in the exploits of those "heroic" men skirting the roof-tops (being a Nazi he knew of course that the anti-aircraft defences of Oslo were negligible and that therefore had his grotesque drawings come true, his Germanic "brethren" would have had a most enjoyable and easy time of it). Above all this artistic "mess" runs in bold type: "That was the choice! National Union chose aright!"

Results of Invasion

After a year of Nazi domination a brief review of the blessings brought to Norway by the German invasion brings out these representative facts:

1. Rations at the present time are:

Bread	225 grams	per person per day
Butter	40 grams	per person per week
Sugar	200 grams	per person per week
Coffee	40 grams	per person per week

(Meat has been practically unobtainable in the towns since January)

2. Housing conditions: During two months of hostilities in Norway probably more houses were destroyed than in four months of war in Finland; yet almost no reconstruction has been carried on since last summer. The Germans have requisitioned both materials and labour for use on their projects of fortifications, air fields, and so on. Consequently many families—as in the Narvik region especially—have been living in tents during the entire winter.

3. Unemployment: In spite of a relatively large increase in unemployment—in a country which formerly had almost none—only 500 Norwegian workers have yielded to Nazi pressure and accepted jobs in Germany. The Nazi plan was to recruit at least 20,000 Norwegians for work in the Reich.

4. Business World: By October, 1940, Norway's exports had declined by 50 per cent. while her imports were cut by 70 per cent. Up to March, 1941, the Nazis had taken 1,700,000,000 crowns from the bank of Norway, mainly to pay expenses of the German army of occupation.

5. Coal and Fuel: Not only has shortage of fuel resulted in great hardships for the population during the winter, but the lack of coal—which was promised in abundance by the Nazis—has resulted in serious crippling of many Norwegian industries.

6. Fishing: This former main industry of Norway has been attacked from two sides. First, the shortage of gasoline and high price of equipment have prevented many fishermen from carrying on their work. And second, practically all fish caught are commandeered for Nazi use. Besides seizing 7,000 tons of stockfish and 13,000 tons of klipfish, the enemy authorities have demanded that 150,000 tons of fresh fish be delivered to Germany in the coming spring and summer.

German Moral Low

The following tale, which may be labelled "Fantastic, but True," is an astounding revelation of the condition of German moral after a year of "triumphs" in Norway. Since the successful British-Norwegian raid on Lofoten, the Germans have heavily reinforced their coast patrols. One of these, operating near Bergen, was reconnoitring after nightfall when suddenly a shape appeared on a hillside out of the darkness. "Halt!" cried a soldier. But then other shapes appeared and the Germans dropped everything they had and ran for their lives. The "shapes" then remained in full control of the hill. They were twelve sheep! Next day the German commandant posted orders to the effect that all sheep must be at home by 7 p.m. Otherwise they would run the risk of being shot.

What stands out most strikingly from the situation in Norway after one year of foreign domination is the fact that Norwegians are more united now than ever before and that Norway is entirely unconquered and unbroken. In spite of destruction and violence, want and privation, people of all parties and of all social levels are determined that Norse civilization shall not go under.

The Judiciary

The resignation of the entire Supreme Court of Norway on December 12, 1940, marked the end of a long period of conflict between the high court and the Nazi authorities. The justices unanimously declared that since these authorities refused to recognize the judicial power of review granted by the Constitution of Norway, it was useless for conscientious judges to remain in the Supreme Court.

The Church

The courageous action of the seven Bishops of the Church of Norway in leading the opposition of Christians against the attempted Nazification of Norway aroused wide enthusiasm throughout the world. On January 15, 1941, the Bishops requested the puppet-head of the Church and Education Department to "clarify" his attitude towards the Church. Receiving an unsatisfactory reply to this request, they sent a new manifesto early in February repeating previous charges that the Nazi régime was both lawless and Godless and expressing themselves in such phrases as: "The Church can never be silenced....We feel it our duty to let the authorities hear clear and loud the voice of the Church." Specially the Bishops condemned the action of Storm Troopers in taking the law into their own hands, and the Nazi ruling which sought to destroy the age-old right of secrecy of the clergy in matters concerning parishioners.

On the shoulders of Norwegian police forces has fallen the difficult task of cooperating with enemy authorities while at the same time trying to protect their fellow-countrymen from crime and violence. But when these policemen were ordered not to interfere with anything the Storm Troopers chose to do and to give the Nazi salute when on duty, a great many of them tried to resign. In Oslo 100 officers refused to go on duty until they were threatened with transportation to concentration camps in Germany, while in Kristiansand 59 out of a force of 62 resigned rather than obey Nazi rulings. In other cities the police forces have continued to function, even under the difficult conditions imposed by the occupation authorities; it is better, they say, to have Norwegians than Nazis as policemen.

Farmers and Working Men

Two items will suffice to show how the farmers are receiving the "New Order" in Norway: (a) Mr. Johan Mellbye, veteran farm leader and president of the Norwegian Farmers' Association, was removed from office and placed under arrest by order of the German Reichskommissar in March after Mellbye had steadfastly refused to obey orders from the Nazi minister of agriculture. (b) The Nazi party organ, "Free People," devoted a recent editorial to the stubborn refusal of Norwegian farmers to accept the new situation and proposed as a solution that they be "sent to concentration camps along with the Jews."

As for Norwegian workers, they have time and time again showed their resistance to the Germans and their contempt for the Quislings by word and deed. From practical jokes at expense of visiting Nazi lecturers to near-riots and acts of sabotage, workmen in all trades and industries have made it clear—at the risk of their lives—that they intend to resist Nazification to the utmost. One local union expressed this intention forcibly rejecting, in the proportion of 5,000 to 16, a proposed vote of loyalty to a newly-appointed Nazi labour official in their national organization.

Sportsmen

In the world of sports there has been a nation-wide rebellion against the enforced Nazi reorganization of the formerly democratic associations of skiers and of other sports groups. When the duly elected leaders were replaced by minor puppets of the Quisling regime, thousands upon thousands of young Norwegians showed their displeasure and contempt by refusing to participate in athletic competitions. Thus there was no team representing Norway at the World's Championship Ski Contest at Corina d'Ampezzo nor one at Garmisch Partenkirchen in Germany. Most significant of all, the traditional ski-jumping contests at Holmenkollen, outside of Oslo, were a complete fiasco this year.

All in all the action of Norwegians of all trades and professions, of all sorts and conditions, can be summed up in the motto published by a brave Stavanger editor last September: "No Norwegian is for sale!" The spirit of Norway, in spite of a year of foreign domination and of rule by traitors, can truly be expressed in this phrase: "We have just began to fight!"

Resolved to Fight to the Last

King Haakon of Norway and M. W. Raczkiewecz, President of Poland, heads of two countries who decided to fight it out with the Nazis, are shown discussing prospects over a friendly cup of tea.

Proposal for Peace Talks Repudiated

Local Japanese Journal Supports Mr. Honda's Rejection of Feeler

Echoing the statement reported to have been made by Dr. Kumataro Honda, Japanese Ambassador to China, to the local correspondent of the Tokyo "Nichi-Nichi" before his departure for Tokyo to confer with the central authorities, the "Shanghai Mainichi," local Japanese-language paper, stressed that the only way open for Japan to terminate the China conflict is to "tear to shreds the armed resistance of the Chungking régime until it has collapsed."

The paper discerned in its editorial yesterday morning an intensification of Japanese military operations against the armed forces of Chungking in various parts of China. This development was believed by the paper to be indicative of the determination of Japan to crush the armed resistance of Chungking.

Pointing out that even today the key to the disposal of the China conflict rests solely upon the destruction of the enemy's military power, the "Shanghai Mainichi" expressed the belief that Chungking's military collapse may also be termed a pre-requisite to the strengthening of the "National Government" under President Wang Ching-wei.

Intensification Urged

The daily stressed that the more the resistance power of Chungking is weakened, the more it is necessary for Japan to intensify her military operations.

Describing the present widespread Japanese operations against Chungking's armies as delivering a *coup de grâce* against faltering enemy arms, the "Mainichi" expressed the conviction that the present Japanese operations in full swing in all parts of China are not being carried out on the assumption that Chungking's forces have been strengthened or reinforced.

The paper recalled a recent statement made by General Shunroku Hata, Commander-in-Chief of the Japanese Expeditionary Forces to China, upon his return from an inspection tour of North and South China, that all available means deemed necessary for the entire collapse of Chungking's resistance, with stress on military operations, will be employed with firm determination.

Although admitting the impossibility of settling the China conflict by means only of military operations, the daily stressed that the disposal of the conflict without armed force is a mere "dream of idle civilians."

Glimpse of Obvious

Solution of the China hostilities might have been possible without military force had it been undertaken prior to the beginning of hostilities, or before their development to the present stage; however, nothing short of a miracle could settle the conflict now, no matter how great the political or diplomatic efforts made, the paper declared.

Recalling the remark made by Ambassador Honda recently that direct peace negotiations with Chungking would be more injurious than beneficial, the "Shanghai Mainichi" concluded by pointing out that not only direct negotiations, but indirect negotiations with Chungking would be more injurious than beneficial once the hostilities have reached the present stage.

District Court Judge Kidnapped

Disappears from Home On Outside Roads

A judge of the First Special District Court was kidnapped on May 1 from his home in the extra-Settlement road area, it was reported by the leading Chinese dailies here yesterday. So far, it was said, no information regarding his whereabouts or fate has been received.

The kidnapped judge is Judge Yu Su-wei, who formerly served as a secretary of the high court in Anhwei province. He is a brother of Mr. Yu Cheng-shiu, a well known Chinese lawyer in Shanghai.

After the occupation of many districts in Anhwei by the Japanese, Judge Yu was transferred to work in Shanghai by the Ministry of Justice. He was assigned to work in the First Special District Court. He tried cases once a week in the criminal branch.

Admiral Tsuda Given Farewell Party

A farewell cocktail party was given in honour of Vice-Admiral Shizue Tsuda, outgoing Director of the Asia Development Board's Central China Liaison Office, at the Nippon Club at 5 o'clock on Saturday afternoon, the "Shanghai Mainichi" reported.

Japanese naval authorities present inclinded Admiral Shigetaro Shimada, Commander-in-Chief of the Japanese China Seas Fleet, and Vice-Admiral Denshichi Okochi, Chief of Staff of the China Seas Fleet. The Japanese Army was represented by Major-General Masaneri Hasegawa, Commander of the Japanese Garrison Force in Shanghai. The Japanese Consul-General, Mr. Tateki Horiuchi, was present on behalf of the Foreign Office.

High Chinese dignitaries included Mr. Liang Hung-chich, President of the Control Yuan of the National Government at Nanking, and Mr. Chen Kung-po, Mayor of Greater Shanghai. Prominent Japanese and Chinese civilians also attended the function.

Soviet Oil Arrives In Bangkok

Bangkok, May 10.

The first shipment of oil from Soviet Russia since the resumption of diplomatic relations between Thailand and the U.S.S.R. on March 3 was reported by the vernacular paper "Krungdeb Varasap" to be arriving here soon aboard two Soviet oil tankers.—Domei.

Japanese Gains in South Denounced

Chinese Journal Blames Democracies for Not Taking Earlier Action

Indo-China and Thailand have now virtually become the protectorates of Japan, who may use them as a springboard in her south-ward move, and the interests and privileges recently obtained by Japan in those two countries have further encouraged her in the move, states the editorial of the "Chinese American Daily News." The paper says that the democracies should shoulder the responsibility of the "diplomatic defeat" which they have thus suffered in the Far East, and that the democratic front should lose no time in preventing the Japanese from moving southward through close cooperation.

The recent capitulation of Indo-China and the fact that Thailand has been helping Japan in her aggressive acts have enabled Japan to obtain the geographical advantage in her contemplated southward move. Japan is now the greatest threat to the Far Eastern possessions of Great Britain, the United States and Netherlands, it is said. The world should not overlook this, although Japan's progress along this line has caught many people unawares.

Control of Indo-China

The various treaties entered into between Japan and Indo-China recently have enabled the former to control all natural resources in the French colony, which has in fact become a protectorate. Japanese ships can navigate in Indo-China just like French ships, indicating that Indo-China has lost her sovereignty, the paper opines. Besides this, Japan has stationed troops in Indo-China and has also obtained Customs privileges, it is said.

It is pointed out that Thailand has accepted Japanese military supplies which are said to be more than enough. The democracies have never emphasized Thailand. They never offered help when she needed it. She has now become the tool of an aggressor and the responsibility for this mistake should be shouldered by the democracies, says the writer. He concludes by urging all democracies to co-operate in eliminating Japan's threat.

Forces in Singapore Still Reinforced

Saigon, May 10.

Travellers arriving here from Singapore estimated that the British armed forces there now total 120,000 men with reinforcements arriving almost daily from India and Australia.

These travellers further reported that the newly-delivered American-made seaplanes based at Singapore are being employed in long patrol duty. A British contingent of 10,000 men also has landed at Sarawak, Borneo, it was stated.—Domei.

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From "The China Press."

There is current, however, a sneaking suspicion that a similar programme will be presented again in this not distant future. If there isn't, this reviewer is prepared to picket the studios with the banner: "Unfair to Shanghai!" No doubt he will be joined by many other citizens who missed the show through the mistaken notion that it was just another ragged parade of "budding talent" (hateful phrase!)

"Budding" is not an adjective that applies to this concert. There is nothing "they're - doing - their - best" about it. From the very first . . .

From "The Shanghai Times."

In a variety show where there are several score of entertainers, all out to make the show a success. Suffice it to say that the show was thoroughly enjoyed not because it was a performance in aid of war funds, but because it was a show well worth seeing. . . .

From "N.C.D.N."

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THE SPORTS PAGE

The Place of the Great Baer; Actor Or Fighter?

Madcap Max Has Been Called—Among Other Things—The Barrymore Of Boxing; As An Actor He's Good

By John Kieran

THERE is lively debate now as to the place of the Great Baer in contemporary history. Actor or fighter? Should he be ranked among the great thespians or the great thumpers? Never did the phrase "sock and buskin" contain a fuller meaning than when Madcap Max made his first bow behind the pugilistic footlights.

He has been called the Barrymore of Boxing which should be enough to send all the Barrymores scurrying off to consult their attorneys-in-law. A distinguished critic, Colonel Joe Williams, referred to him as "the hilarious Hamlet," once again raising the question: Was Hamlet mad? This onlooker always thought that the acting of the Great Baer was more in the style of Bottom the Weaver. "Very tragical mirth."

The Shakespearean touch recalls that bear-baiting was a p ular pastime in Merrie England in the days of W. Shakespeare, Gent. A bear was chained either by the neck or by one hind leg and dogs were turned loose to worry him. This elegant amusement was banned by the reformers in Cromwell's time and Thomas Babington Macaulay wrote that it was stopped "not because it gave pain to the bear but because it gave pleasure to the spectators."

It is to be hoped that the fistic fathers will not ban the modern sport of Baer-baiting for the same reason. The spectators plainly were delighted with the latest Baer-baiting programme.

The Acting Was Wonderful

It's true that, as a heavyweight fighter, the Baer has gone over the mountain. But as an actor in a heavy part, he still can draw the crowd. He really packs 'em in. His fighting against Lou Nova was—well, the dramatic critics would have called it adequate. As for his acting, the boxing writers had to bow down and describe it as magnificent. He was wonderful as the Dying Gladiator. He would have made the part even bigger and better if Referee Arthur Donovan hadn't rung down the curtain a bit hastily.

Even then the Great Baer, who had been on the floor, rose to the occasion. If they wouldn't let him finish off his Dying Gladiator scene in style he would be Henry V with his "Once more unto the breach, dear friends, once more." He shook his gory locks and, suddenly revived, he made a furious rush of two or three inches toward the fellow who had played the principal part in the Baer-baiting scene of the evening.

It was grand. It was thrilling. It was the Great Baer histrionically at his best. It wasn't a case of "Never give up the fight!" The fight was over. It was the thespian soul of the Great Baer battling to the last, claiming the curtain call.

Playing All Parts

It's impossible to describe fully the antics of the Great Baer on the pugilistic stage. He has to be seen to be appreciated. The airy gestures, the heavy sneers, the light laugh and the dark look, broad farce written on his face in one moment and stark fury ing blazing in his eyes the next moment. With sound effects, too. He laughs; he snarls, he grunts, he breathes with dreadful emphasis.

In the first round the other night he stood off in a lordly manner and beckoned Nova to come on and fight. He hadn't done a lick of fighting himself at that point, but that didn't make any difference to the Great Baer. It was a grand gesture and maybe he wasn't sure that he would have a chance to make it later on in the fight. He worked it in before it was too late. He winked at the ringside spectators with his left eye as his head hung over Nova's shoulder. This was to indicate complete scorn of Nova's attempts to hurt him. But in the eighth round he couldn't have repeated the wink if he had tried. His left eye had closed for the evening.

Max The Magnificent

He was in no mood for comedy at that stage, anyway. The comedy ended with the bell that opened the fifth round. When the Great Baer hit Nova with his Sunday punch in the fourth round and Nova didn't stay down, the theatrical sense of Madcap Max didn't desert him. He knew his part from there on was to be one of heavy tragedy and he played it to perfection. When he went down it wasn't like a sack of potatoes. He made it look as vast and fearful as the sack of Rome. Up or down, he was Max the Magnificent to the last gasp.

It's the notion in this corner that Lou Nova made some sorry mistakes in his Baer-baiting, even if all's well that ends well and Nova with the light-brown hair came away crowned with the laurel. The sneers and fantastic poses of the Great Baer were theatrically designed to make Lou lose his temper and trade wallops with the thumping thespian. And Lou fell for it a few times.

For that matter, Lou Nova didn't fill his rooters with confidence that he could put up a great fight with Louis by the way he went through his Baer-baiting programme. Lou showed courage and stamina and a good left hand. But he was a steady target out there. He didn't seem able to bend from the waist. He's strictly a stand-up fighter. If Baer could hit him, how could the Shuffler miss him? If Baer could knock him down, what would Louis do to him? That, as Hamlet said, must give us pause.

The Great Baer

Wyatt Hurls Sixth Straight Win to Put Dodgers on Top

Cincinnati Reds Gain On Giants; Indians Break Four Game Losing Streak; Chisox Take Tigers

New York, May 10.

BROOKLYN'S "Daffy Dodger's" were on top of the National League heap today, as a result of their convincing 4 to 1 triumph over the tail end Philadelphia Phillies. It was Brooklyn's fourth consecutive win.

The victory placed Leo Durocher's hustlers in a percentage tie with the idle St. Louis Cardinals, but the Dodgers are now actually games ahead of the "Gas House" gang in games won and lost.

Whit Wyatt, veteran flatbush Hurler, held the Phillies to five scattered hits for his sixth consecutive win. Young Steve Merman, the new Brooklyn acquisition from St. Louis, led the Dodger's 12 hit assault, collecting two singles and two triples. The "Daffies" clinched the game in the first inning when Merman singled, Jimmy Masdell doubled and Ducky Medwick singled to drive Steve and Jimmy across the platter.

At the Polo grounds the New York Giants dropped the opener of a double-header to the Boston Braves 11 to 3 but the veteran bill Lohrman came through with a sweet two hitter in the second game to give the Giants an even break. The score in the nightcap was New York 4 Boston 2.

The Cincinnati Reds gained half a game on the Giants, when they defeated the Chicago Cubs 5 to 1. The world champions clinched the game in the fifth inning when Ed Joost doubled and scampered home on a single by pitcher Paul Derringer. Then the Reds drove three other runs in the same inning when Young was hit with a pitched ball, Linus Frey walked, Jimmy Ripple singled and Frank McCormick came through with another safety.

In the American League the leading Cleveland Indians broke their fourgame losing steak by nosing out the St. Louis Browns 4 to 3.

The Chicago White Sox knocked the Detroit Tigers out of third position by taking the longer end of a 4 to 3 count from the 1940 American League champions.

Box Scores

American League

	R.	H.	E.
Cleveland	4	9	0
St. Louis	3	7	2
Batteries: Milnar, Heving, Hemsley; Harris, Trotter, Grube.			
Detroit	3	6	2
Chicago	4	8	3
Batteries: Newhouser, Trout, Tebbets; Lee, Tresh.			
Philadelphia	8	10	4
Washington	7	10	0
Batteries: Marchildon, Potter, Hayes; Masterson, Anderson, Zuber, Ferrell.			
New York-Boston, postponed.			

National League

Boston	11	16	0
New York	3	3	1
Batteries: Posedel, Berres; Gumbert, Carpenter, Adams, Hartnett.			
Brooklyn	4	12	0
Philadelphia	1	3	0
Batteries: Wyatt, Owens; Hughes, Johnson, Warren.			
Chicago	1	7	1
Cincinnati	5	7	0
Batteries: French Erickson, Page, McCullough; Derringer, Lombardi.			
Boston	2	2	0
New York (second game)	4	11	1
Batteries: Salvo, Berres, Masi; Lohrman, Danning.			
St. Louis-Pittsburgh, postponed.			

—United Press.

Canidrome Results

1—300 yd. flat.—1, Texas Beauty; 2, Mad Plume.
Also ran:—Wee Dell, Harvard, Wild Wind, Five Stars II.
3 lengths.—Time, 18.50.
Win, $13.70. Forecast 6-4 Div. $53.20.
Place, 1st $8.70; 2nd $10.40.

2—300 yd. flat.—1, Mon Amour; 2, Dusty Lad.
Also ran:—Cute Villain, Daleson, Bebben, Frisky Bambino.
2½ lengths.—Time, 18.11.
Win, $9.70. Forecast 3-6 Div. $48.70.
Place, 1st $6.90; 2nd $7.60.
Double Event 1/2 6-3 Div. $13.10.

3—440 yd. flat.—1, Only Babbler; 2, Flash Vixen.
Also ran:—Radio, King Chu Bar, Jorrock's Alone, Open Beach.
½ length.—Time, 26.56.
Win, $20.80. Forecast 3-6 Div. $54.90.
Place, 1st $8.40; 2nd $8.50.
Double Event 2/3 3-3 Div. $26.60.

4—500 yd. flat.—1, The Pyramid; 2, Pearl's Pet.
Also ran:—Sandals, Wild Charm, Flintship, Bowsterman.
1½ length.—Time, 30.76.
Win, $28.50. Forecast 2-4 Div. $191.20.
Place, 1st $14.80; 2nd $10.60.
Double Event 3/4 3-2 Div. $59.30.

5—500 yd. flat.—1, Yeoman Corporal; 2, Sandy Walmer.
Also ran:—Paddy Blue, Careless Orontes, Belle O'New York, Federal Agent.
5 lengths.—Time, 30.53.
Win, $22.80. Forecast 4-6 Div. $142.90.
Place, 1st $13.90; 2nd $19.30.
Double Event 4/5 2-4 Div. $76.70.

6—500 yd. flat.—1, Old Chap; 2, Oregon Duke.
Also ran:—Beaconsfield, Sir Sewn, Moody Mask, Erin Beau.
2 lengths.—Time, 30.48.
Win, $28.40. Forecast 1-6 Div. $387.70.
Place, 1st $18.10; 2nd $20.20.
Double Event 5/6 4-1 Div. $61.50.

7—500 yd. flat.—1, Great Rascal; 2, Yeoman Commander.
Also ran:—The Buck, Lone Plume, Sweet Moon, Paddy Boy.
4 lengths.—Time, 30.14.
Win, $17.60. Forecast 5-6 Div. $90.70.
Place, 1st $9.20; 2nd $11.20.
Double Event 6/7 1-5 Div. $79.70.

8—500 yd. flat.—1, Lady Swift; 2, Black Opal.
½ length.—Time, 30.43.
Win, $58.30. Forecast 1-2 Div. $177.
Place, 1st $15.60; 2nd $12.20.
Double Event 7/8 5-1 Div. $49.60.

9—500 yd. flat.—1, One Act; 2, Paddy Bird.
2 lengths.—Time, 29.92.
Win, $36.90. Forecast 1-3 Div. $321.20.
Place, 1st $17.50; 2nd $16.20.
Double Event 8/9 1-1 Div. $267.50.

10—500 yd. flat.—1, Alton Classic; 2, Captain Charming.
5½ length.—Time, 29.82.
Win, $9.50. Forecast 2-5 Div. $77.80.
Place, 1st $7.80; 2nd $15.50.
Double Event 9/10 1-2 Div. $68.

11—500 yd. flat.—1, Don't Forget; 2, Cute Viscount.
1½ length.—Time, 29.28.
Win, $19.30. Forecast 1-2 Div. $134.60.
Place, 1st $12.60; 2nd $16.50.
Double Event 10/11 2-1 Div. $21.10.

12—525 yd. flat.—1, Alton Arab; 2, Flying Duchess.
Short head.—Time, 30.82.
Win, $26.90. Forecast 3-4 Div. $104.10.
Place, 1st $14.40; 2nd $10.30.
Double Event 11/12 1-3 Div. $90.30.

Simple Solution to Mystery Of Arsenal Soccer Star

Bryn Jones, £14,000 Grade One Star On Soccer Field Is Just Grade Three To Medical Board

BRYN Jones, Arsenal's £14,000 piece of Soccer property and a Grade One star, is a Grade Three man. There I clear up much of the Bryn Jones mystery, writes Paul Irwin in the "Sunday Express." It is the reason why the Welsh wizard—the greatest thing on two footballing feet since Alex James—is not in the Army.

There are people who have slandered Bryn Jones. They have said that he has been dodging the Army. They have hinted that he is fit and strong. They have asked why this super star—a quicksilver performer able to stay ninety gruelling minutes in Cup or League stuff—has escaped the Service net at the age of twenty-eight.

So much for slander. Here are the facts as they came to me when I talked with Bryn in his father's home that clings to the face of the brooding mountains towering above Merthyr.

Listen to this. It is Bryn Jones talking for the first time on his Army medical examination:—

"Am I dodging the Army? Indeed I am not. What can I do if they are not wanting me? Back last June I registered with the twenty-sevens and about three weeks later went down from Merthyr to Pontypridd for my medical examination.

"The doctors went over me—about three or four of them. And they turned me down, put me in a low grade. What was it? Grade Three.

"Seems funny, I know. Yet there it is. Even when I was called back for another examination about a fortnight later the same thing happened. They didn't change the grade of my medical fitness."

The Silent Knight

Now Bryn Jones isn't given to long speeches. He's the Silent Knight of Soccerdom. The magic is in his feet and his quick, thrusting football brain, not his tongue.

Yet, stung by the bluntness of my questions, the words came tumbling like the Taff down there in the valley below his house.

"What can I do about it?" he asked. "All that's left is to wait until they do want men from my grade. They're calling up some of them now, aren't they? Well, maybe my turn will come.

"I am ready to go. I don't want to dodge the Army. Indeed, I have never wanted to dodge it. There was talk that I should try to become a P. T. instructor. It didn't appeal to me. Anyhow, how would they view a Grade Three man?"

I couldn't answer that one. But I could crack another question at the great little Soccer star, a question that Bryn Jones seized and shook and tore to shreds like a Welsh terrier.

"Tell me, Bryn," sez I, "tell me why you don't play for Arsenal these days? Here you are, turning out pretty regularly for Aberaman, a small-time Welsh club, while Arsenal want you."

Pay is the Same

The dark, crinkly headed boy—and for all his twenty-eight years Bryn Jones still has the eager freshness of an up-and-comer—looked up sharply.

"I know what you mean," he said quietly. "They are saying that I don't want to come to London because of the blitz. Isn't that it? Ah! It is silly.

"Here's why I have been playing for Aberaman and not Arsenal. I have only to go over the mountains eight miles to get to Aberaman. I can leave Saturday morning and be in time for the match. It is different when Arsenal want me. There's the journey down the valley to Cardiff and the trip to town, which means leaving here Friday night and not getting home till late Sunday.

"That's not all. Arsenal pay thirty shillings a game in these war days. So do Aberaman. I can get just the same Soccer pay down here as I can by travelling to London."

Now, I have the idea that the Welsh international is a sight happier these days than he has been for a long time. Why? Because he is back among his own people.

I asked him if the fact that he was back home helped him when he was playing with Aberaman. After all, the locals were telling me that Bryn—"Our Bryn," they say proudly—was turning in games that really put him into his £14,000 class.

The Secret

"Yes, it helps," came the answer. "The secret is that I now have time to carry out things. There's not the thought of League points that may be lost if you do a thing wrong. There's not the same class up against you. You can do things standing still.

So I left Bryn in this home town. Left him to his long morning walks over the mountains in weather-stained flannels and sturdy brogues—"I keep fit that way"—to the lectures he attends with his cullies at the Penyard Social Settlement and to his memories.

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Old Enemies to Renew Rivalry on Golf Links

Two old rivals are all set to renew their slightly faded rivalry of the past decade. Too old, however, to return to the scenes of their former triumphs and humiliations in any active capacity, the smouldering fires of their former feud have flared up again and the two arch-enemies of yester year will resume hostilities on another field of sport. Their names are legendary—Babe Ruth and Ty Cobb; the new outlet for their emotions will be the golf course.

Babe Ruth has accepted the challenge of Ty Cobb to carry on their ancient strife in a golf match. The old baseball opponents will play a thirty-six hole match for a war charity still to be selected. it was announced by Fred Corcoran, tournament manager of the Professional Golfers Association.

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English Football Results

London, May 11.

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Arsenal 1, Preston North End (At Wembley) 1

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Portsmouth 5, Bournemouth 0
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SOUTH REGIONAL LEAGUE
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Cardiff City 1, Chelsea 2
Reading 1, West Ham 1
Stoke City 2, Northampton Town 1
Tottenham Hotspur 1, Crystal Palace 1
Walsall 3, Leicester City 1

NORTH REGIONAL LEAGUE
Bury 5, Manchester United 1
Chester 8, Bolton Wanderers 0
Chesterfield 1, Sheffield United 1
Liverpool x, Tranmere Rovers x

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Leeds United 1, Huddersfield Town 0

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OTHER MATCH
Middlesbrough 3, Sunderland 4
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Vast River Rouge Plant to Produce Aeroplane Motors

Factories Sprawl Over 1,200 Acres ; Tens of Thousands Go To Work There Daily

Dearborn, Michigan, May 11.

MR. Henry Ford's mammoth River Rouge Plant is the heart of an industrial empire that stretches around the world, a unit so vast that coke, iron ore, raw rubber and sand arrive at one end and emerge as automobile and blitz buggies for the army. Eventually, too, there will be aeroplane engines for defence.

The plant is as integrated and self-sufficient as a city. It has its own water and power supply. It sprawls over 1,200 acres of prairie which Ford purchased when his far-flung industrial kingdom was little more than a dream. It has more than a hundred miles of railroad tracks within the plant area, 20 locomotives and a thousand cars of rolling stock. In peak times 90,000 men go to work each day. Their labour requires 700,000,000 gallons of water a day—as much as Detroit, Cincinnati and Washington consume combined. 4,500 tons of coal a day and as much gas as the entire city of Detroit.

When Ford began building along the tiny River Rouge it was little more than a stream. Today ocean-going freighters come to the open mouths of the furnaces into which they empty the raw materials which, with speed characteristic of the industrial era Ford symbolizes, are transformed into finished products. A fleet of 29 vessels, with the Henry Ford II as flagship, serve the plant from ports throughout the world. The plant has its own police force—as efficient in some respects as the best law-enforcement agency in the country—three turbo-generators of 110,000 kilowatts each, 125 miles of conveyors, and 5,000 men whose sole job it is to keep the plant clean.

Ford Efficiency

Typical of Ford efficiency within the Rouge Plant is the use of what ordinarily would be waste steam. At the Rouge it isn't wasted—it is piped into discarded railroad boilers, compressed, and used again. Although thousands of tons of coal pour into the furnaces each day there is only one scoop shovel within the Rouge Plant. It is a chromiumplated one preserved as a relic of bygone days.

Luxurious super-highways and countless street car and bus lines serve the plant. During normal operations so many men are employed on each shift that a change of shifts must be staggered over two hours.

One of the principal thoroughfares bordering the eastern rim of the plant is Miller Road. Along its northern fringe is a parking lot for thousands of worker's automobiles. Then for more than a quarter of a mile the road abuts against a two-story, Red-Brick outerwall of the plant proper. At the southern end of this portion of the plant, along Miller Road, are coke ovens and blast furnaces.

"Battle of the Overpass"

Most of the principal union altercations have been at the Miller Road entrances. At the three major Miller Road gates a majority of the workers enter and leave the plant daily. Large overpasses extend from the plant itself to parking lots and street cars and busses across the road so that workers need not walk across the road itself. It was at the gate 4 bridge where the now-famous "Battle of the Overpass" occurred in 1937 when several unionists, including Richard Frankensteen and Walter Reuther, both now high UAW-CIO executives, were beaten severely. Litigation resulting from the battle was carried to the Supreme Court. It was along the Miller Road entrances that the most effective picketing occurred recently, and at which most of the fighting broke out.

Ford's ultimate goal has been to make his Rouge Plant completely self-sustaining. At present it is so more than any other comparable industrial unit. He makes glass and manufacturers rubber into tires, his blast furnaces emit 47 different types of steel, and in all there are 250 separate departments within the Rouge System.

Across the keystone of Ford's fireplace in his spacious home not far from the Rouge Plant is the inscription "Cut your own wood and it will warm you twice." This is the theory that has motivated development of his Rouge Plant, first to benefit by manufacture of the materials he needs, and then to profit by converting these materials into the finished product.—United Press.

Local Americans Keep Mother's Day

Chinese Observe Occasion For The First Time This Year; Essay Contest

The observance by the local American community of Mother's Day yesterday was on a more dimunitive scale that in former years owing to the absence from Shanghai of numerous American women and children who have evacuated. Their departure, which has already left a gap in the celebrations of American holidays here, was particularly felt yesterday when there was no one to perform the functions of the mother which last year was discharged by 45 ladies, each one of whom presided at one of the 45 tables at the Navy Y.M.C.A. when 150 American servicemen were the guests at one of the best Mother's Day functions ever to have been held at the Navy "Y".

The significance of the day was emphasized in a morning service at the Community Church when Dr. M. T. Rankin, Secretary of the China Mission of the Southern Baptist Convention, preached on the subject "My Mother's Portrait."

Approximately 50 U.S. Marines were guests last night at a dinner party at the Community Church which was organized by the Navy "Y". Numerous, however, were the private observances of the day which annually is observed by Americans at home and abroad and is consecrated to the memory of mothers the world over.

Chinese Observance

For the first time in this country under the auspices of Christian organizations, Chinese in Shanghai also observed the day. A special programme adapted for the occasion was broadcast over the Sun Sun Broadcasting Station in addition to their other activities. Apart from the rendition of a musical programme by children there were a number of Chinese speakers who urged the necessity of setting a day aside each year in dedication to the mother whose benign influence and commiseration contribute so much to the family's well-being and happiness. Filial love and devotion, they emphasized, are outstanding Chinese attributes and to set aside a day for remembrance of one's mother would be in keeping with the Chinese ideal.

At the Y.W.C.A. flowers were distributed to a number of children who were urged as part of the observance of the day to do everything to please their parents. The "Chinese American Daily News" sponsored an essay in connection with the occasion, offering a first prize of $100, a second prize of $50, and third prize of $30 for the three best essays on Mother's Day.

Community Church Ceremony

The Community Church was the scene of a happy gathering for Mother's Day programme. At 1 p.m. a dinner was served, comprising of real American dishes, and Grace was said by Dr. C. Stanley Smith, who is acting Pastor at the church.

After the dinner, Mr. H. F. Walburn, business secretary of the Navy Y.M.C.A., introduced Mr. Rudy Hansen, the new secretary of the Navy Y.M.C.A., mentioning that Mr. Hansen had only just arrived in Shanghai and was, most probably, the only person present who had been a participant in the Oylmpic Games when they were held in London. After a few words from Mr. Hansen an enjoyable musical number was offered by Pfc. McRae—trumpet; Pfc. Higley—bass; Pfc. Montgomery—clarinet, and Pfc. Snyder—trombone, under the leadership of Pfc. K. J. Marshall, who played the clarinet.

Honorary Mother Speaks

Chaplain H. R. Trump, who was a most able and entertaining toastmaster, flavouring every other sentence with a laugh-provoking story, then called upon Mrs. J. O. Oliver, the Honorary Mother, to give the Mother's Day message. Mrs. Oliver spoke of the different phases of being a mother and how, even after a child commences its schooldays and the mother thinks she can devote her time to outside affairs, she finds that her presence is needed in the home, that just her being there gives a sense of security to the child. An important period, Mrs. Oliver told guests, is adolescence, "You can tell an adolescent, but you cannot tell it much." Mrs. Oliver said that in China, Mother's Day should also become Parent's Day, and added that many come to China before they learn to appreciate their homes.

Group singing was led by Mr. Wilbur Judd and then Pfc. J. W. Draper gave the response to Mrs. Oliver. He said that by the presence of Mrs. Oliver, they all felt a little closer to their own mothers on this day. A mother, he said, was someone who was always ready to sacrifice anything for you, whether you were right or wrong. Pfc. Draper also mentioned the fact that letters should be written more often to mothers who so eagerly awaited news of their sons abroad.

Pfc. E. Fullerton gave a rendering of "Mother Macree" and "Memories", accompanied by Mrs. J. C. McCracken on the piano. The whole company joined in singing the choruses.

Australia To Exchange Ministers with China

Canberra, May 11.

The Cabinet yesterday approved in principle the immediate exchange of Ministers with China. Simultaneously, Mr. A. W. Fadden, the Acting Prime Minister, announced that negotiations have been opened with the United States in an effort to find markets for Australian foodstuffs, especially meats and dairy products which can not be shipped to Britain.—United Press.

Pope's Five Peace Points Endorsed

Accepted by Officials of Church in England After Motion by Cardinal

London, May 11.

A resolution endorsing the new famous ten-point letter to "The Times" signed by the Archbishops of York and Canterbury and Cardinal Hinsley, together with Walter Armstrong, Moderator of the Free Church Federal Council, which accepted in toto the five peace points laid down by the Pope on December 21, was moved by Cardinal Hinsley and seconded by the Protestant Bishop of Chichester, Doctor G. K. A. Bell, at a vast meeting in London yesterday afternoon.

Dr. Bell suggested that the Christian leaders in Germany, Italy and America be approached to ascertain if they are in favour of the Pope's five peace points.

"Lively Satisfaction"

Cardinal Hinsley told the audience that the Pope had expressed his "lively satisfaction" at the acceptance in Britain of his statement on the foundations of peace.

"The moral force of Great Britain and the entire British Commonwealth stands four-square behind our fighting strength in defence of the liberties of mankind," stated Cardinal Hinsley. "We have one great purpose in which we are unshaken and undivided against the onslaught of brute force and against all attacks.

"We will uphold the fundamental principles of personal, national and international freedom to the last. As Christians, we proclaim that the real and lasting peace for which we work, fight and suffer should be founded on the triple basis of faith, hope and charity."

The Archbishop of Canterbury will move the same resolution at a similar meeting tomorrow.—Reuter.

Pope to Discuss Far East

Vatican City, May 11.

An unimpeachable Vatican source informed the United Press yesterday that Pope Pius XII was expected to deliver an important allocution to Cardinals in Monday's secret consistory.

The Pope will outline the Church situation in light of recent world developments, especially the consequences which the present troubled times may have on the situation of the Catholic Church.

It also was believed that the Pontiff would dedicate a large part of the allocution to the church situation in the Far East, especially in Japan, because of recent recognition of the Catholic Church by the Japanese Government.

Church Hierarchy

The Holy Father, it was believed, will draft plans, together with the Cardinals, for creation of a church hierarchy in Japan, formed exclusively by Japanese bishops.

Other reliable sources here yesterday said the Pope would issue an important encyclical on May 15, on the occasion of the fiftieth anniversary of the famous "Rerum Novarium" encyclical of Pope Leo XIII.

The people will refer to social and economic problems as related to the war and the encyclical will contain His Holiness' advice to the church Hierarchy.

Ecclesiastical circles recalled that on the occasion of the fortieth anniversary of Pope Leo's encyclical in 1931 Pope Pius XI issued an encyclical on reconstruction of the social order in accordance with precepts of the gospel.—United Press.

Drastic American Action Advocated

New York, May 11.

The Committee to Defend America by Aiding the Allies yesterday urged declaration of a national emergency and that naval and air convoys be supplied ships en route to Britain.

The committee also advocated freezing all Axis funds in the United States, an embargo against Japan coupled with effective aid to China, and "clear indication to Japan of our determination to prevent conquest of Singapore and the Netherlands East Indies."—United Press.

Lindbergh Claims Britain Will Lose

Does Not Believe Invasion Of Germany Will Ever Be Possible

Minneapolis, May 11.

Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh, noted flier and staunch isolationist, yesterday reiterated his belief that England cannot win the war "short of internal collapse of Germany of which there is no sign today".

"The only way Germany could be defeated would be by invasion," Col. Lindbergh said in a speech here. "Even if invasion were possible, which I do not believe, the resulting devastation would be so great that Europe couldn't recover for generations, if at all.

"When I tell you we are not in a position to win this war for England, I am charged with being disloyal by the same politicians and idealists who denied all other statements when I made them, but they cannot point out a single one which has not turned out to be true.

"I doubt that any country in Europe has been less informed about the intentions of its Government than we have been.

"There was once a time in America when we could impose our will by the vote. Many of us thought we still were operating under that principle in the elections last November. Both political parties adopted platforms against intervention in this war, but now it seems doubtful that we ever had two parties last November.

"The people of this nation were not given a chance to vote on the greatest issue of our generation—the issue of U.S. involvement in a foreign war."—United Press.

King Victor Emmanuel Visits Albania

London, May 11.

King Victor Emmanuel of Italy paid his first visit to Albania yesterday, according to the Swiss radio. He was welcomed in Tirana, the Albanian capital, by the Italian Foreign Minister, Count Ciano, the Italian army chief, General Caballero, and the Albanian Prime Minister. The King flew to Tirana escorted by fighters.—Reuter.

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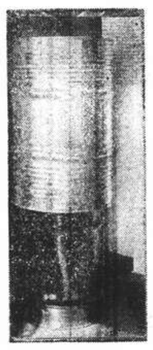
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Vichy Air Minister In Algiers

Vichy, May 11.

The French Secretary of State for Air of the Vichy Government, Gen. Bergeret, arrived by plane at Algiers yesterday. He was welcomed by Gen. Maxime Weygand, Vichy High Commissioner for French North Africa. Gen. Bergeret afterwards left for Oran.—Reuter.

50,000 Croat Workers Sent To Germany

Rome, May 11.

Fifty thousand workers from the newly formed puppet state of Croatia are to be sent to Germany under an agreement concluded between Berlin and the Zagreb government, states a Zagreb despatch to the official Italian news agency.—Reuter.

German Industrialist Arrested

Berlin, May 11.

The internationally known German industrialist, Herr Friedrich Minoux, recently was arrested and is being held in the Berlin-Moabit jail for investigaton, it was learned here yesterday. Grounds for the arrest were not learned.—United Press.

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Defences of P. I. Analyzed

Filipinos in Support of Democracies' Struggle For World Freedom

Washington, May 11.

Defence of the Philippines, despite points of both strength and weakness, is clearly emerging as a tenet of American policy in the Far East, the "Far Eastern Survey" has found.

Miss Catherine Porter, reseach expert for the Institute of Pacific Relations, has reported on "Preparedness in the Philippines" for the survey, and cited official and unofficial evidence of increasingly comprehensive defensive measures for the protection of America's Far Eastern outpost.

The report does not give an opinion as to whether or not the Philippines are strategically defensible, but does disclose that numerous steps have been taken in recent months to endow the islands with increased defensive power both in the air, on the ground, and in the water.

Relation to Independence

The relationship between Philippine defence and Philippine independence is only hinted at, but it is suggested that Corregador, the great fortress guarding the entrance into Manila Bay, may be far too expensive for the Filipinos to maintain by themselves, after independence comes in 1946.

The alien minorities, including both Japanese and Spanish, have thus far not constituted a problem to defence efforts, but they might become one, the research expert indicated.

Special emphasis is placed on Miss Porter's observation that the Filipinos, themselves, have risen to the occasion and are wholeheartedly pledged to the cause of defence of democracy.

"The moral and attitude of the rank and file of the Filipinos, themselves, have been above question," the writer said.

The report quoted extensively from an editorial in a chain of Filipino newspapers defining the Filipino stake in the world conflict, concluding that "the cause of Britain, the cause of free France, the cause of the Chinese people, and the cause of the United States is our cause.

"Their cause is our cause because in the large principles of democracy for which they are fighting are involved the principles of liberty and equality which apply particularly to our case as a subject people moving toward independence."

Weaknesses Listed

Miss Porter listed weaknesses in Philippine defence as:

1. Lack of sufficient arms and ammunition for Philippine reserves.
2. Lack of adequate air defences;
3. Concentration of fortifications and forces on the island of Luzon;
4. Difficulties of inter-island communication and transport in case of hostile naval action in Philippine waters;
5. Lack of agricultural self-sufficiency, and of even the semblance of industrial and manufacturing capacity.—United Press.

Thai-Indo-China Pact Welcomed in Japan

Said Precedent Supporting Claims to Leadership

Tokyo, May 11.

The "Japan Times & Advertiser, in an editorial, today said that signing of the Thai-Indo-China treaty substantiated Japanese announcements of her peaceful aims in China, "despite appearances."

The newspaper, which is regarded as a semi-official organ of the Foreign Office, said that "some months ago an emminent authority said of Japan's policy in the Far East that deeds were more potent that words," obviously referring to a statement made last month by Mr. Cordell Hull, U.S. Secretary of State, regarding Japan.

The Thai-Indo-China treaty accepts Japan's position as a moderator and supervisor in matters relating to Thailand and Indo-China, the editorial said, and "sets a precedent for Japan's claims to leadership in the Pacific sphere.—United Press.

Heavy Casualties in Hamburg Reported

Berlin, May 11.

Ninety-four people were killed and 35 were missing as result of a British raid on Hamburg on Thursday night, the official German news agency D.N.B. said yesterday. D.N.B. said the final toll might rise even higher. —United Press.

Mr. Ronald Campbell Taken To Rome

Rome, May 11.

The British Minister to Yugoslavia, Mr. Ronald Campbell, arrived in Rome yesterday with his suite. The Italian Government is permitting him to return to England via Lisbon.—Reuter.

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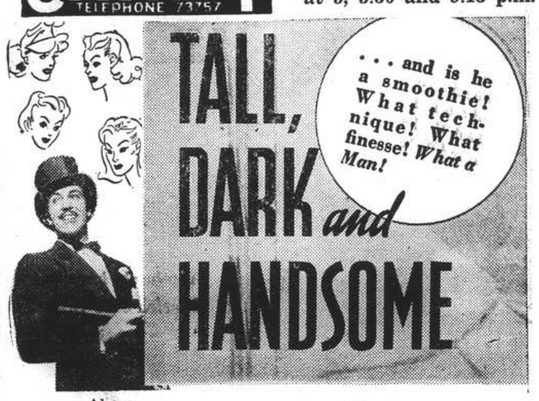

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Bitter Nazi Attack On Roosevelt

Documents Said Found in Poland To Show Guilt in Starting the War

London, May 11.

President Roosevelt is bitterly attacked by "Voelkischer Beobacher," according to the German radio—"Not even Mr. Churchill bears so much guilt as this North American President and his circle," the paper declares.

"We know from documents found in Poland what kind of pressure President Roosevelt's confident, Mr. Bullitt, brought to bear on the hesitant Mr. Chamberlain, particularly after Munich, to force him into a policy of encirclement.

"It was President Roosevelt, with his promise of help to Britain who lit the conflagration. Without him, Mr. Churchill would never have entered the British cabinet."—Reuter.

Search for Aliens

New York, May 11.

Federal agents and city police continued rounding up Italian aliens yesterday. Warrants were issued charging dozens of employees of the Italian pavilion of last year's New York World Fair with staying over their time-limit in the United States. —Reuter.

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Roosevelt Unable To See Naval Delegates

Washington, May 11.

Mr. Stephen Early, White House Secretary, yesterday announced that President Roosevelt regretted that due to strict doctor's orders he would be unable to receive Latin American naval delegates during their present stay in Washington. The President's temperature was normal, Mr. Early said, but he was under strict orders to remain quiet over the week-end, to continue resting and to see no one. —United Press.

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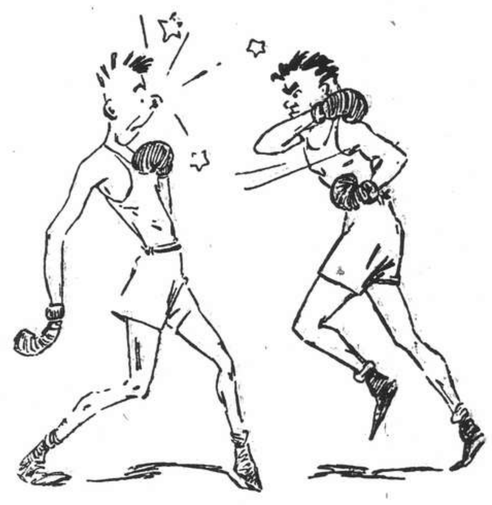
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Kindness:
Humble Reassurance

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—Mr. RANKIN'S praiseworthy anxiety can perhaps be answered with humble reassurance.

When Jesus was accused of consorting with sinners, He did not apologize. Why? The Pharisees were apparently correct. But, deep down (here is the point) they were wrong, and knew it. A change was wrought by the Advent. The old, outward form of righteousness God permitted to continue until it flowered, as He knew it would and as He wanted all the world to see, into ineffectiveness, not to say murderous enmity to Himself. Thus men should turn from empty ceremony and outward cleaning to the New Way.

It seems that, if those who attend the Races are not Christians (as, of course, many are not), abstention from them will be meaningless. For Christians, the affair is between their consciences and God. If their consciences permit them to go, all well and good.

In the midst of Job's trials, well-intentioned friends added to his misery by robbing him of the consolation of feeling that he was suffering more than he ought (which his instinct told him he was and which gave force to his prayers for deliverance).

England is going through the fires. We cannot, as a nation, convince ourselves that we deserve to fall before our enemies. If God is purging us of some offences, yet this, I am convinced, is not to the point of dissolution or even of our ultimate physical disadvantage. If we strive, as a nation, to do justice, to love mercy, and follow the tenets which have appealed to us as a nation in the past, I do not think that any further self-castigation is called for, not at least just now in the midst of the flames. The paths which directly brought us to this pass were those of self-denial and self-sacrifice on behalf of others as much as ourselves, and God will judge whose cause is right, and He will give the victory to whom He will.

ALGY.

Shanghai, May 9.

Answer to Dr. Rankin

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—In reply to MR. C. W. RANKIN, he raises a number of interesting points. As a level-headed man I would appeal for a little fairness. I should like your correspondent to assimilate the following: He writes about weeping, etc. His point in all probability is correct, but I wonder how much time MR. RANKIN spends in gathering-up all the salient facts as they present themselves from day-to-day. I don't think much will be achieved if men and women sit down and weep. If he thinks that way, then I suggest he gets to know the British character. One startling fact has emerged during the year or eighteen months and that is, the amount that has been done. If we read our newspapers we read of Britain, India, Australia, South Africa, New Zealand, etc., their efforts and I say, if we understood this properly it would be an inspiration to us all.

Your correspondent writes "Behold joy and gladness, slaying of oxen, etc." The quotation is correct, but the inference drawn from it is definitely wrong. I had a letter from my sister a few days ago, and she was telling me that they are allowed ½ lb. meat for four, sugar, etc., are strictly rationed. During the last war 1914-18 no cakes, etc., could be had. No, Sir, that picture doesn't hold, our King and Queen during the last war, set the example for simple, plain living and I am sure our present King and Queen are doing the same. If your correspondent lived in Britain just now he would alter the tone of his writing. When the men and women of Britain work for 8-10 or 12 hours per day, seven days a week they don't feel like doing much after that. This about racing. I am not a racing man myself, but I say, who am I that I should stand in the way of another's enjoyment? I would ask MR. RANKIN to think of the numbers of owners, trainers, jockeys apprentices, etc., yes and footballers, cricketers, boxers and many others who have had no hesitation forsaking all that for the time being, keen to serve. Then about giving. In February 1940 I think a letter appeared in the correspondence columns of the "North-China Daily News," written by a gentleman who is now thousands of miles from Shanghai. The note drew the attention of Shanghai people to the plight of many destitute Chinese people during the cold spell. The response was instantaneous, the Rice Bus was set in motion and I have no doubt, that the letter combined with the kindly courtesy of the "North-China Daily News" saved many lives. He writes about God in Church and State. Yes. In the State we have our rulers who are capable to take the helm and guide all in their power. The duty of the Church is to pray. When the Church does that I am sure King and Queen, Statesmen and Soldiers, Seamen, Airmen, yes, all, will only be too eager to join in that exercise.

In conclusion I would ask DR. C. W. RANKIN to consider the tension that is prevailing everywhere. Not only in Britain but in Germany and other countries as well. Who amongst us here in Shanghai, have the guarantee but we will get notice some of these days, that our homes with all that we hold dear has been struck with a bomb and destroyed? The picture drawn "feasting, joy, etc." to say the least is incongruous. But the question is how shall we take that, news if it comes? I say again a little insight to British grit in taking things as they come, never silently, I may say, but with a stiff upper lip. That, is the picture I would understand. It is a good job every one is not alike. Every one has their own tastes, relaxations, enjoyments and is it a Democratic gesture to stand in the way of another? Patrick Henry did say "Give me Freedom" but I ask would he say "Give me Freedom and when I get it deprive my neighbour of that same freedom." No, Sir, I do hope, Sir, that you will excuse this intrusion but, I cannot refrain when I know these things as I have written them.

SCOTTY.

Shanghai, May 9.

An Abhorrent Idea

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—In answer to the letter of your correspondent, CHAS. W. RANKIN, which appeared in your issue of May 9, may I be allowed to say that, while there is one passage in it with which I agree, namely, the one in which he says that the American people should march side by side and shoulder to shoulder with the British in the present struggle for freedom, I heartily disagree with everything else it contains?

To say, as your correspondent does, that what the Jews are suffering today at the hands of the Nazis, the Fascists and the Governments of other countries which have come under German domination, is punishment being meted out to them for their sins by God is an utterly abhorrent idea, and, I feel sure, will be deplored by the majority of your readers. The same applies to the sufferings under the iron heel of Germany of the people of Norway, Denmark, Holland, Belgium, France, Poland, Czechoslovakia, Yugoslavia and Greece, who, your correspondent says, also are thus being punished by God for their sins. It likewise applies to the people of Great Britain and North Ireland, who, he says, are undergoing the ruthless bombing that they are by Nazi 'planes for the same reason. Such thinking is anachronistic, a reversal to the time when men believed that the world was flat, when science was in its infancy and superstition and a belief in witchcraft were rife.

What the people of all these countries are now paying for with their life's blood is their foolishness in putting their faith in the assurances and promises of the present leader of the German people, who, in his now much publicized but formerly neglected book, "Mein Kampf," actually advocated the use of lies in order to deceive and weaken other countries, so as to render them an easy prey to German aspirations toward world conquest, a leader who time and again has broken his pledged word.

They simply could not believe that a people, such as the Germans, whom they had always looked upon as practically of the same race as themselves sharing with them a common and hard-won culture, would or could follow this leader to the extent of carrying out what he advocated in his book, and so they were not ready to defend themselves when the mighty German war machine struck.

The very unpreparedness of all these countries, including Great Britain and her colonies, offers ample proof that not one of them had the slightest intention of attacking Germany or any other country, just as the complete preparedness of Germany down to the last detail proves beyond question that the German leader, who has so often reiterated his will and desire only for peace, was determined to have war; the leader, who, using the very word freedom as a slogan, is bent on enslaving the whole of mankind, his own people included; for where is there such a thing as freedom in Germany except for those who have seized the power by every foul means known to the tyrant?

As for the Jews, they are victims of their unusual political position, in that they are a race without a country or government of their own. Thus, while, on the one hand, they have always had the ability to acquire wealth, and so have always been worth robbing, on the other hand they have never been able to acquire the means of defending themselves against brute force. Their sufferings have not been the result of their sins, but the result of man's greed and cruelty.

Nature teaches us that if we neglect our defences, or are for any reason unable to defend ourselves, we must inevitably become the victims of aggression. This is one of her most inexorable laws, and we see it in operation throughout the whole of the animate world. And this law will continue to govern humanity until such time as mankind as a whole has reached the high moral level attained by the people of Europe, who have recently fallen victims to the Germans, who, under Hitler's leadership, have gone backward a thousand years into the Dark Ages.

Perhaps, from an ethical point of view, we were right in giving the Germans a chance to do the right thing by the rest of the world, but, as things have turned out, we were fools for doing so, and we are now paying the penalty of our folly. And, only in so far as folly is sin, are we being punished for our sins.

Now there is only one course open to all of us who believe in the freedom of the individual, if we wish to regain or preserve our freedom, as the case may be, and that is to close our ranks and fight shoulder to shoulder with every means at our command against the common enemy of mankind. And with all my heart I wish to include in our ranks those amongst the German and Italian people who still believe in individual freedom.

ARTHUR DE C. SOWERBY.

Shanghai, May 11.

The Stock Exchange:
And Borrowed Shares

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—When shares in our midst take a tumble we are given to understand that because of certain unfounded rumours people are unloading—invariably by those known as shorts who are trying to manipulate the market to their benefit.

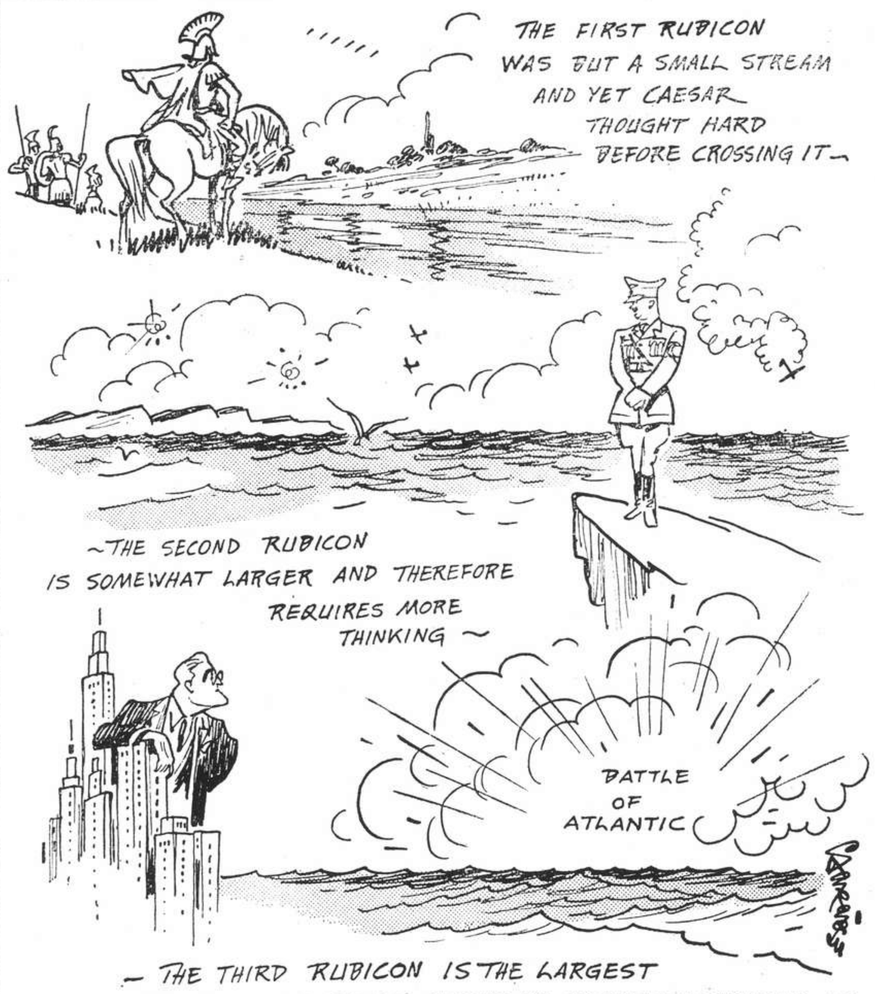
It is also an established fact that some privileged few can borrow these shares to play this game and at our expense. Now, if all genuine investors who had bought shares and always demanded delivery of them on settlement days, these shorts would to some extent be deprived of the facility of borrowing shares left by us in trust with any broker or brokerage concern for safe custody.

This would not prevent the shares from dropping on receipt of real bad news, but it would certainly stop those landslides.

Monday is settlement day and, if all investors will start from now on to take delivery of all shares purchased, they would in a way help to keep our market in a healthier tone.

PAR.

Shanghai, May 10.



The Rubicons

"Streets of Shanghai":
Some Unsolved Mysteries

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—When glancing through my paper this morning my eye caught the above title but inadvertently jumped a column to the signature "CAE GURWEN" at the end of the subsequent letter, and I thought for a moment that the Welsh Clans had risen in their wrath in defence of their national Lloyd who was a notability before 1867, when the Municipal records show expenditure in metalling this historic road.

I found, however, that the CAE GURWEN is an ally, and his one idea is the raising of War Funds.

So, JOE L. has found Sing Ping Street, but evidently his researches did not disclose the correct name for this Street, which is "Route Privée," or why Mr. Sing Ping quarrelled with Mr. Yang, and prevented a quick get-away for Yang Terrace and the Salvation Army.

LONE WOLF.

Shanghai, May 10.

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Seventy Years Ago

FROM THE "NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS" OF MAY 12, 1871

As signs of the times, the "News-Letter" mentions that two 200-pounder Blakely guns, muzzle-loaders, with carriages etc., complete, came over in the P.M.S.S. Oregonian for the Chinese Government for service on the Taku Forts, Peiho River. The Chinese Government works at Kiangnan Arsenal are turning out several 30-pounders for the forts. The double-decked frigate at the Arsenal Shipyard will be ready to launch on September 1. The planking for this man-of-war came out from the United States. The Chinese officials have given orders to build as many as sixteen additional vessels of war or transports at this Arsenal. The same paper says the Chinese Government at Shanghai are about building a powder magazine on the old execution grounds inside the city walls. There is now powder enough stored in Chinese houses near the old North Gate to blow the whole city to pieces.

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2.30 Dance Music
3.30 Woman and Home, including "News from Home," at 3.50
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7.00 Polish Programme
7.30 News in French
7.45 Light Music
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21/11/31	Kwangtung	Canton		,,	1	Paper	1
9/ 1/32	Ninghai	Tsingtao	37	A in circle	17	Medicine	12
17/ 1/32	Poyang	Hankow	4	EW in diamond	80	Manganese powder	20
19/ 1/32	Taiyuan	Amoy		KT	6	Paper	1
23/ 1/32	Tsinan	Canton	47	ML	1	Dr. B'boo shoots	1
25/ 1/32	Wuchang	Hankow	37	H	8	Fire crackers	3
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6/ 2/32	Nankin	Hankow	16	F in diamond	2	Cream	2
		Kiukiang	19	C	196	Paper	1
25/ 2/32	Fengtien	Weihaiwei	2	W	100	Old gunny	100
3/ 3/32	Sinkiang			N/M	2	Leaf fan	2
26/ 3/32	Poyang	Hankow	54	,,	50	Hemp	1
17/ 4/32	Changsha	Hankow	4	M F Shanghai	3	Salted fish	3
7/ 5/32	Wuchang	Wuhu	2	TOH in diamond	1	Feathers	1
26/ 5/32	Sunning	Canton	21	T	4	Medicine	1
	Tungchow	Tientsin	1	N/M	1	Iron pipe	1
13/ 6/32	Tsinan	Canton	47B	W in diamond	200	Leaf fan	1
24/ 6/32	Woosung	Hankow	9	Cat in circle	1	Batteries	1
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		Kiukiang	10	C	126	Paper	1
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			15	標商利勝	2	Mixed fertilizer	2
21/ 8/32	Tsinan	Hong Kong		N/M	4	Merchandise	4
6/ 9/32	Tsinan	Canton	57	錢 in circle	13	Sauce	1
7/ 9/32	Tungchow	Tientsin	43/4	兀 in circle	50	Samshoo	1
8/ 9/32	Ninghai	Canton	22	K	8	Medicine	1
21/ 9/32	Wuchang	Hankow	3	仲 K	59	Leaf tea	1
6/10/32	Changsha	Ichang	3	H F	5	Medicine	4
20/11/32	Taiyuan	Canton	13	美 in circle	1	Fruits paste	1
28/11/32	Shengking	Tientsin	30	K	80	Samshoo	1
			35/6	K in circle	80	Samshoo	2
			37	M in diamond	100	Samshoo	4
			38	M in diamond	100	Samshoo	2
			43	立 in circle	80	Samshoo	14
				CYL in square	20	Samshoo	1

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TO THEIR MAJESTIES

Today the thoughts of Britons throughout the world will go back to a couple, who, four years ago in Westminster Abbey, were consecrated to the service of their people,—the King and Queen. King George VI, and his consort, Queen Elizabeth, will go down in history as the two who during this great crisis in the life of an Empire were in themselves the embodiment of all those qualities which Britons hold so dear. It is no light task to fill the rôle of a monarch, and when the King came to the throne, ungroomed for the heavy responsibilities involved, there was some speculation as to the manner he would perform his functions. There was not, however, much anxiety on the score, for he was recognized to be the son of his father, and in a short while he, and his Queen were able to show their people that Destiny had played them no mean trick by calling on the Royal pair to assume such high office. Looking back over these last four years, nearly half of which has now been spent in war it can now be realized that Their Majesties have played and are playing a wonderful part in the history of the Empire.

Perhaps one of the most important things they did was to embark on the tour to Canada and the United States. The wonderful demonstration of loyalty to the Throne which was given in the Dominion was but a promise which is now being fulfilled by the splendid manner in which the Canadians have responded to the call of a menaced Empire. In the United States where the couple, and especially Her Majesty, captured the imagination of the people of the United States, there were laid the foundations of the growing cooperation which that great country is giving to the democracies in their struggle for freedom. It may be that that tour will yet prove to be one of the most important factors in the future history of the world, for the Empire was greatly touched by the manifestations of affection for the King and Queen which the Americans so spontaneously gave. There was established a bond of sympathy which is now making itself felt.

His father had only come to the throne a little over four years when he saw his Empire plunged into the World War. The staunch leadership of King George V throughout that anxious period was such as to stamp him for the great man he really was. His son is following in his footsteps. His devotion to duty is well known. With ceaseless energy he busies himself in caring for his people, and they because of this second great war make greater demands upon him than would normally be the case. Long before Hitler made the mistake of bombing Buckingham Palace, thus demonstrating that the monarchs stood in equal danger with their subjects, the King and Queen had commenced visiting the bomb-stricken districts, sharing the perils of the victims of Hunnish ruthlessness. Their courage, their sympathy their ready understanding aroused the greatest loyalty in the hearts of those who were suffering.

There is something very royal in an exchange of compliments which took place during one such visit. As the King and Queen passed amongst their people, a man shouted "You are a great King." His Majesty replied "You are a great people." And no matter how they are looked at those two sentences may prove to be very much statements of cause and effect. For after all there is very much to be said for George Eliot's phrase—

> A man's a man,
> But when you see a king, you see the work
> Of many thousand men.

If ever there were a monarch gifted with "the king-becoming graces" that man is George VI, for surely he has shown all of them, especially those of "devotion, patience, courage, fortitude." In his work he has been sustained by the gracious charm of Her Majesty, fit helpmeet for a man "condemned to bear the burthen of the nation's care." It is to be hoped that not many coronation anniversaries will pass before a victorious peace enables them both to continue their great service to the Empire in other and happier circumstances. When that time comes the loyalty of the British people will be just as deep as it is now in their hour of travail.

THE ATLANTIC BATTLE

The decision of the British Government to publish only monthly information as to the amount of damage inflicted by the enemy upon British shipping is undoubtedly a wise one, though it will mean that less information than ever will be available to show from day to day how the Battle of the Atlantic is being waged. One of the methods devised whereby undue demands shall not be made upon shipping is to fly the ever increasing numbers of aeroplanes produced in the United States across the Atlantic. Thus as the months pass growing numbers of machines of all classes will be winging their way from factories in the western hemisphere to the aerodromes in the British Isles. Thus the enemy submarine is to be outwitted. Of course the Germans will do their utmost to prevent as many machines as possible reaching their destinations, but it is believed that this danger can be successfully handled by the R.A.F. That is one of the means of averting some of the dangers of the enemy blockade, for more vessels are available for carrying foodstuffs and war materials.

To counter this the Germans have recently been paying much attention to the British ports. If the latter can be so damaged that ships cannot be rapidly discharged and sent out for more supplies, that in itself is equivalent to a reduction in tonnage. Hence recent concentration on ports and harbours. There is no indication up to the present that the Germans have seriously impaired the facilities for cargo-handling, but that is clearly their intention. In this connection it may be that the Germans will shortly revert to daylight raids over Britain, to secure greater bombing accuracy and consequently do more damage. There are signs that they are already endeavouring to feel out some means of safely attacking Britain by day, but the Germans are behaving most cautiously having no stomach for a repetition of the punishment which the R.A.F.,—then much weaker than it is today,—succeeded in meting out.

Should the Germans discover a means of raiding Britain by day with some comparative degree of safety another phase of the Battle of the Atlantic will have been opened. Much of the indiscriminate night bombing over Britain is obviously in the hope of doing damage to the growing number of aerodromes and the machines which they house. That damage has not up to the present been great, but if the growing aeroplane aid to Britain is in any way to be discounted accurate, and therefore, day bombing will have to be resorted to. That they can deal with that just as well this year as they did last the R.A.F. is perfectly confident, and if the Germans do indeed go back to their old and expensive tactics it will be either because they fancy they have solved the problem which the R.A.F. posed for them in the battle of Britain, or because of sheer desperation and the necessity of forcing a speedy issue.

Immediate developments in the Battle of the Atlantic will depend upon the decisions which President Roosevelt is expected to make this week with regard to convoying American supplies to Great Britain. Quite obviously the enemy submarine menace is more imposing now than during the latter stages of the last war, because the British Navy, practically alone, is unable to maintain the extensive convoy system, which Britain, France and the United States were able to do in the last war. Nevertheless, great as were the losses in shipping last month they are still not great enough to force that early decision which Hitler wants, and with the United States resorting to convoying the war material she manufactures the submarine menace may be brought more under control. Hitler has threatened that should the United States convoy shipping it will mean war, but Mr. Roosevelt is faced with the fact that, to assist Britain as he wishes, war materials have to reach their destination safely, and it may very well be that he is prepared to see that this is the case.

Year of Oppression

Saturday was a sad day for the Hollanders and the Belgians for it was the first anniversary of the commencement of the German invasion of those two countries, but the broadcasts of Queen Wilhelmina and M. Spaak, for the Belgians, should bring encouragement to those who see their countries bereath the heel of the Nazi jackboot. Queen Wilhelmina's broadcast to her own people was the address of a courageous woman to her courageous people, and doubtless throughout Holland there were many loyal Netherlanders listening in to the words of their beloved monarch, receiving reinforcement to that national spirit which is so strong as almost to need no such thing. Her declaration that her kingdom stands firm, more united, determined, unanimous and strong is a statement of the plain truth. Not only that, it is in accordance with the history of the people of the Netherlands. Spain during the years of occupation found the Hollanders a sturdy handful, and the reports which leak out from the Low Countries clearly prove that the spirit which animated the resistance to Spain still is fierce in the hearts of Queen Wilhelmina's subjects. Her Majesty in a broadcast to English-speaking peoples, in which she thanked them for their aid said:—"In occupied territory there is but one conviction—resistance must be absolute. No negotiation or compromise is possible with an enemy who has invoked the lie as his main instrument of policy, and whose rule depends on the machinations of the secret police." No people of honour can bow down before such a man or such a system. The Netherlanders are not bowing down, and will not. Hitler has completely failed to cow them, as he has completely failed to cow all those other peoples whose territories he has overrun. The British are second to none in their admiration for the manner in which the people of the Low Countries are standing up under the despotic oppression of the Nazis. They are determined that these brave people shall be rescued from the toils of an obscene system which is a hissing and a by-word in the mouths of all honourable people, and the fight will go on until that end has been attained. That and that alone is the just due of people who stand "silenced, but courageous and proud, offering dogged, passive resistance."

A Pathetic Note

According to the news magazine "Time," when leaving Addis Ababa, the Italian Commander-in-chief, Duc d'Aosta left behind a note addressed to the British commanders, General Wavell, and Lieut.-General A. C. Cunningham, a remarkable but pathetic document of defeat:—

> His Royal Highness, the Duc d'Aosta, wishes to express his appreciation of the initiative taken by General Wavell and General Cunningham regarding the protection of the women and children of Addis Ababa, thereby demonstrating that strong bonds of humanity and race still exist between our nations.

Apart from the shockingly inhuman manner in which the Ethiopians were subjugated five years ago, it may be said that the Italians as a rule do fight with a greater regard for the decencies of war than do their allies, the Germans. The contrast between the behaviour of the British in Abyssinia and the Germans on the Continent is most striking. The British sought to save the Italian colonists from the natural vengeance of the Abyssinians who have undoubtedly suffered grave wrongs at the hands of the Italians. They have succeeded in doing so. Hitler and his accomplices regard the slaughter of civilians as a proper means of making war, and women and children are to him mere cannon-fodder so long as they happen to be enemies. Obviously the Duc d'Aosta was touched by what after all was merely common decency, though it needs to be remembered that he was given the opportunity of doing for his own people that which British commanders have now done for him.

STRAY NOTES

May 8.—Life is seldom dull for a bird observer . . . and so it was only a mild surprise when I was rung up by a lady to tell me that she was being attacked in her garden by a Blackbird; had I ever heard of such a case and what should be done about it? Not only did the bird attack her (pecking at the back of her head) but it purposely bespattered her with its ever ready supply of the substance which has helped to make Chile famous. Thinking the matter over before visiting the scene of these crimes, the only classical allusion to such attacks came to my mind in the form of the old rhyme which finished up by stating that "the maid was in the garden, hanging out the clothes, when by flew a blackbird and snipped off her nose": perhaps after all there was something in it, and the poet was not merely trying to be funny. And so, in a perfectly judicial frame of mind I went off to investigate the case of the man-eating Blackbird. When the lady led me to the scene of her adventures the big bad Blackbird soon put in an appearance, and I must confess that I have never seen a finer specimen of his kind, nor have I ever heard such a loud harsh cry as the bird produced; but while the two of us were together he did not make any attack. I then asked the lady to walk past the tree again while I walked away . . . and the bird immediately made a low swooping attack at her head, not so completely and effectively as on previous occasions . . . but quite fiercely enough to prove to me that her story was correct: my presence, even at a distance, probably made him a little more timid. This bird is a particularly strong specimen of his kind, and I can only think that his unusual fierceness must be due to an over-generous supply of vitamens from the beautiful garden by which his nest is surrounded. The only similar case I can think of was one in which a Blackbird so quelled the spirit of a big black Persian cat (by the same "blitzkrieg" method) that it dare not walk in the garden. The lady now wears a mackintosh cape—a luxury denied to the cat—and I really cannot think of any better solution.—E.S.W.

U.S. MOTOR ACCIDENTS

Oddity, Fun in Mishaps Stress Safety

It seems automobile accidents have their lighter side. All is not gloom in the United States annual total of 5,700,000 reportable accidents, mishaps and fender scratches. A few of the occurrences are downright funny, many oddly lucky, says the New York "Times." Others, because of their obvious foundation in carelessness, serve as effective reminders that a driver should keep his wits about him. An accident need not kill some one in order to prove its point.

For example, there was the woman who ate an apple as she drove. Tossing the core away, she missed the open window and missed a curve in the road in recovering the fruit. The car turned over in a ditch. She was unhurt, but paid a large sum to repair the car. Her friends stored away the maxim to look at the road before apple cores.

Safety organizations and insurance companies possess in their files a wealth of information about freak mishaps involving automobiles. Facts refute the popular idea that a motor vehicle, because of its rubber-tired insulation, constitutes a target at which lightning won't shoot. The case of a driver bowling along an Arkansas highway during a thunderstorm happily illustrates vulnerability of this kind. Lightning struck the car at the rear, ripped a hole in the gas tank and ran forward on a radio antenna to the engine, where it disconnected two spark plugs. Total damage was $6.75, not counting a "divot" gouged by the bolt in the concrete road.

Not long ago thirteen cars crashed together in Fort Worth, Texas, in a scrimmage begun by three automobiles, one of which was carrying a man just hurt in another traffic accident to the hospital. The only person injured, after the street quieted down, remained the man being rushed to the emergency room. Again, this time in Cleveland, a skidding car struck a baby carriage being wheeled on the sidewalk. A 3-year-old boy in the carriage was catapulted fifteen feet through the air toward a male pedestrian, who, with great presence of mind, intercepted the startled child and put him safely down.

Animal World Plays Part

A principal cause of minor accidents is Dame Nature's family of crawling, walking and flying beasties. Some of the talking ones have furnished their evidence, presented above. There was the horse, out for a night stroll, which became trapped between oncoming cars on a country road. Blinded by headlights and seeking escape, the horse leaped like Pegasus into the air, but fell back immediately on one of the cars. The car was ditched, driver uninjured, and damages amounted to $486. The horse's leg was cut slightly.

Mice have been known to nest in the upholstery of stored cars, while bears in national parks open a tourist's motor car containing food as easily as a young wife takes the top off a can. It may be interjected here that the odour left by a raiding bear on a wet day is overwhelming. Nearly every one who drives at some time has found a bee, wasp or locust to be an unexpected passenger in the front seat. Often the ensuing eviction battle causes the car to veer dangerously. Sometimes the car causes damage or is wrecked, if not halted before the shooing starts.

More rarely, wild birds enter a moving car. A woodpecker nipped a New Jersey driver, who lost control of the wheel. The car hit a telephone pole, which toppled on a fire hydrant. The latter broke and released water which flooded a near-by house. Somehow, the woodpecker was killed. A live rooster with legs tied insecurely caused $150 damages to a coupé. The bird freed its legs where it lay on a package shelf behind the seat, flew up and beat the driver from behind about the ears with its wings. The car crashed through a guard rail and down an embankment. The driver was unhurt.

Not a motor car accident but interesting is a case of attempted arson in a garage. An oil trail was laid to four ounce bottles of explosive fitted with dynamite caps. When the "fuse" was lighted and the criminals made off, heat from the burning oil exploded an inner tube on the garage floor. The concussion put out the flame.

Too frequently a life-taker, the highway accident on occasion proves a life-saver—specially when good luck protects the careless person from his own errors, or when a mishap becomes a good example of dangers on the road. It also accents the hairline of fortune that guards the majority of motorists.

IN PARENTHESIS

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Hear, Hear!

"AIN'T it terrible? Jane has parrot sickness."

"You mean pittaco-pitta—er, what do you mean?"

"She repeats everything she hears."

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Bad Luck

"THANKS to Sandy's jealousy, Bill broke a mirror last night."

"Isn't he afraid that will bring him seven years bad luck?"

"No, he's afraid Sandy's widow will make the judge give him twenty."

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From Here and There

College Boy: Sure, in at ten and out at three!

Employer: Do you know the ins and outs of this business?

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Patrolman: What's that, you captured a dope ring?

Policewoman: Yes, here it is—on the third finger of my left hand.

First child: London bridge is falling down, falling down.

Second ditto: It is not. They beat the American bridge team.

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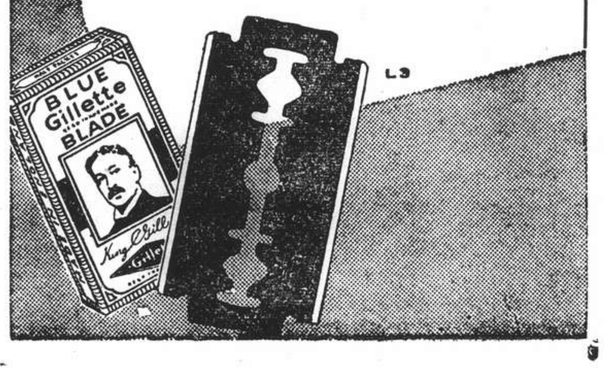

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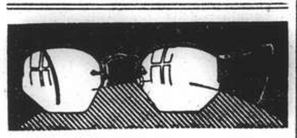

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Portentous Tomorrow

Aftermath of Negotiated Peace Transfer of World Lands to Anti-Christian Nations

(Concluded from yesterday)

WHAT would happen if there were a negotiated peace? History would not end there. Africa, as a matter of course, would become a dependency of the German Reich. Transfer of Egypt and the Colonies would be almost automatic; in South Africa the German influence would quickly gain the upper hand.

And Asia? Decision of the war in Europe automatically decides the balance of forces there. China holds out because of the hope of Western pressure on Japan. She could expect nothing more from Britain. We should be compelled to withdraw in order to face eastward. The Netherlands. East Indies and Singapore would go. Asia would be partitioned among the Axis members, for the Soviet Union would dare still less than now to oppose either Germany or Japan.

And what about Latin America? There are plenty of native interests, and a large population of Germans and Italians, who would hasten to make use of the jump in Axis prestige. South America normally finds great markets in Europe, and it is full of undeveloped resources that a victorious Germany would lose no time in exploiting.

It would not take long for Hitler to extend his influence there. That influence could not be successfully challenged by any Latin American nation without armed assistance from us. But if we tried to fight south of the equator, we should do so with resources of materials, manufacture, manpower and ship-building far inferior to Hitler's and farther from our bases than he would be from his.

Isolated for First Time

The United States would be, for the first time in its history, genuinely isolated. It would be isolated not merely in political theory, but in military and naval power, trade and culture. In a world immensely narrower than that of 1914, we should be "encircled" in a more rigid sense than the German Reich ever was.

This country would of necessity become militarized as a permanent policy. It would, that is, as long as it cherished its independence. Every hope, every purpose, would be weighed down with the fear of conflict to come—conflict alone against a world bitterly hostile to our ideas and our influence. Though we might for a time avoid war, the atmosphere we breathed would be poisoned by dread. And let nobody think that we should avoid internal disruptions. There would be many here who would admire and seek to imitate the Fascist way of life. They would advocate compliance with the dominant world forces—as some of them have already begun to do. But with how much stronger and persuasive a voice! If we listened, our own national genius would be submerged. If we resisted, we should have to compromise democracy by suspicions and suppressions.

The history of such social disunion, of its armed divisions, its dictators and counter-dictators, is writ large in Europe today. Should we turn out to be a Rumania? Or more fortunately and heroically, should we eventually fight for our birthright against a whole world?

Christian View

That is a secular view of a Hitler victory and its consequences: of a negotiated peace and its results. The Christian view would see other results. A negotiated peace would put Germany in control of Europe and Africa, and Japan would control Eastern Asia. China's resistance would break down and the practical end of the foreign missions enterprise in the Far East would come at once. India would go out from under Britain's control, which would probably decrease missions there in a great percentage and, if it meant that India would go under the control of Japan, Russia or Germany, it might mean the end of missions there. The same would be true of Africa. The Roman Catholic Church will compromise with any thing or any body, and Rome might gain a temporary advantage, specially in Africa. Americans would not be welcome abroad, and the day of our missionary work, which is so rapidly drawing to a close in Japan and Korea, would draw to a close in other lands. For these reasons the Christian cannot look with any joy or favour on a negotiated peace.

It is because of this, and because we see that the forces of hatred of Christianity are so definitely arrayed on the side of the Axis that we say that the Christian should not, must not, cannot, compromise in this matter. Even a German, who is a Christian, must pray for the defeat of the Fatherland. We know Germans who are praying in this way. Any other thought would be merely the rising of the "natural" man.

Confusion Foreseen

How it is going to turn, we do not know. Looking at the Bible we see that there is to be a time of great chaos at the end of the age, and that an anti-Christ, a false Jesus, a false bringer of peace, negotiated, probably, will arise. That moment of peace will soon pass and the great chaos of confusion that is called "Babylon" will come to fruition. There are those who foresee that confusion and that chaos at the present time.

Let us look at a new book which has just been written by Prof. Frederick L. Schuman, under the title, "Night Over Europe." If this had been a first book we might take it with a large grain of salt. But it follows two other books. The author's previous volumes came out in good time. Several years ago the "Nazi Dictatorship" appeared, and its scholarly presentation of the subject left little to be said. The author correctly appraised the situation and time has brought the necessity for but few revisions.

Then, in 1939, but early enough to have been written before the war itself, Professor Schuman wrote "Europe on the Eve," and so it proved. The very title, read today, is a complete summary of Europe in those years of what has now been called "the long armistice."

Reviewer's Criticism

A paragraph from Malcom Cowley's review of this book accuses the author of but one mistake, a failure to pay enough attention to the Vatican, "which has become one of the great powers." But listen: "As we read Schuman's narrative, we can hear the heavy, shambling steps of the Executioner and the lighter steps of the victims going forward to meet him." And from the book itself, the following is taken: "The peoples of the West ... did not quietly await an unknown fate with the resignation of those who have renounced life. Like desperate suicides, they sought out their destroyer, hailed him from afar, and in every way aided him to encompass their destruction."

Then Cowley again: "It is a terrifying story as Schuman tells it.... Schuman believes that the present conflict is the War of the World Revolution. It is being fought, he says, because our civilization has so far failed to solve either the problem of poverty or the problem of national rivalries. It will end either in the establishment of a world society or else with the world in chaos. At present "the disciples of three great faiths are aspriants for the honour of bringing political unity to mankind: Communism, Fascism, Democracy.' And Schuman considers the question which of the three is likely to win."

Fourth Claimant for Honours

But neither the author or the reviewer considers the claims of the fourth claimant for the honour of bringing unity to mankind. All of the three he mentions, Communism, Fascism or Democracy are, in the long run, so many aspects of Satan's kingdom which is divided against itself. Christians do not fight for one or another form of government. History shows us that democracy can be very godless. We can look to some of the high moments in democracy's history—the French Revolution, for example—and see how desperately anti-Christian democracy can be.

We can look to France in the 1920s and '30s and see the same thing. The United States is a democracy today but few born-again Christians would call it Christian. But our present form preserves our liberties in the Gospel and for them we fight and for them we are willing to die. We see that other forms of Government in the world today are bitterly anti-Christian.

But there is a fourth aspirant for the honour of bringing unity and all blessing to this world. That is why such a study as this is so distinctly Biblical. It is the most important question in the world to all worldlings. But to us who are Christians it is subordinate to a greater question.

"Witnesses Will Witness"

If the Lord permits that chaos should come to the world, we who are His witnesses will witness, even unto death or his coming. But He Himself is the One Who has been promised by the Father that He shall bring blessing to the world. It will not come in any other way. "I am the Lord: that is My name: and My glory will I not give to another." (Isa.42:8).

The world sees chaos ahead. The Christian sees Christ ahead and he is not afraid, even though the newspaper tomorrow morning shall say that 18.000 planes are over Britain in a last desperate struggle of Fascism. Though the news be this, or worse, or better, we shall continue to preach the truth of Christ and to lend all of our weight for righteousness in whatever cause righteousness seems, for any moment, to rest.

Tokyo Confers With Financiers

Great Co-operation with Government Sought

Tokyo, May 11.

Beginning a series of periodic conferences between the Government and financial circles in order to bring about closer co-operation between the Government and private enterprise for the realization of a highly organized defence state, 16 financiers yesterday afternoon met Government officials at the Premier's official residence.

During the lengthy meeting, the financial leaders suggested first, an improvement in the standard of Government officials; secondly, reform of administrative machinery in order to increase efficiency; thirdly, the establishment of a system by which closer co-operation between the Government and private organizations can be assured; and fourthly, greater use by the Government of experienced outsiders.

At the meeting, which was presided over by Mr. Masatsune Ogura, Minister without Portfolio, were Mr. Tsuneo Kanemitsu, Welfare Minister; Admiral Teijiro Toyoda, Commerce and Industry Minister; Dr. Gotaro Ogawa, Railways Minister; Lieut.-Gen. Teiichi Suzuki, Governor of the Planning Board; Mr. Kenli Tomita, Chief Cabinet Secretary; Mr. Naokai Murase, Director of the Cabinet Bureau of Legislation, and Dr. Nobufumi Ito, President of the Board of Information. It is understood that the next meeting will be held on May 17.—Domei.

N.S.W. Election Won By Labour

Hard Struggle for Premier To Retain Position

Sydney, May 11.

A heavy swing over to Labour has ousted the Mair government from office in the New South Wales elections. Labour is now assured of 49 seats, the Government 31 and the Independents one. Nine seats are doubtful.

The result will not affect the New South Wales war effort, to which Labour has pledged 100 per cent. support. Labour has already gained 15 seats. Mr. Mair, the Premier, is having a hard struggle to retain his seat, as are several other Ministers.—Reuter.

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21/ 3/34	Yochow	Pakhoi	4	K C L	1	White sand	1
7/ 4/34	Linan	Newchwang		毫 0 1	1	Cow horn	1
22/ 4/34	Hsin Peking	Ningpo	39	N M	10	Samshoo	1
28/ 5/34	Tsinan	Canton		YSW	1	Leaf fan	1
				W in square	1	Leaf fan	1
6/ 5/34	Soochow	Hong Kong		N/M	2	Wood rod	2
				..	2	Iron wales	2
8/ 5/34	Kiungchow	Pakhoi	1	KCL	1	White sand	1
15/ 5/34	Yochow	Hong Kong	18	CK	1	Tiger bone	1
18/ 5/34	Hsin Peking	Ningpo	15	D	150	Samshoo	1
23/ 5/34	Hsin Peking	Ningpo		YL	1	Samshoo	1
				啟 J	1	Samshoo	1
28/ 5/34	Wenchow	Kiukiang	5	TC ENGIN in diamond	12	Cigarettes	10
1/ 6/34	Chungking	Ningpo	1	敬 J	300	Samshoo	1
3/ 6/34	Kian	Changsha	31	L in circle	100	Rice	3
4/ 6/34	Soochow	Tsingtao	8	SH	20	Paper dollar	20
5/ 6/34	Tungchow	Chefoo	P/R	N M	23	Empty drums	23
6/ 6/34	Tatung	Hankow	5	A in diamond	100	Samshoo	2
7/ 7/34	Siangtan	Hankow	16	YY	30	Black tea	6
8/ 7/34	Shengking	Weihaiwei	6	TCT	1	Tack	1
10/ 7/34	Yochow	Pakhoi	2	JS	2	Soap stone	2
11/ 7/34	Shuntien	Tientsin	13	T in diamond	8	Stone powder	8
15/ 7/34	Hsin Peking	Ningpo	12	啟 J	200	Samshoo	2
22/ 7/34	Shasi	Changsha	30	BB	178	Wheat	1
29/ 7/34	Shengking	Chefoo	P/R	N M	1	Coal sample	1
4/ 8/34	Sinkiang	Swatow	11	K in diamond	1	Canned goods	1
27/ 8/34	Taiyuan	Canton	25	TLC in double triangle	29	Medicine	2
29/ 8/34	Shengking	Tientsin	P/R	D. Head	1	P. Effect	1
12/ 9/34	Shuntien	Tientsin	101	STC	20	Chefoo wine	4
14/ 9/34	Whangpu	Chinkiang	1	記 B 厚	124	Wheat	4
20/ 9/34	Kiungchow	Haiphong	1	FTC	20	Salted turnips	2
23/ 9/34	Hsin Peking	Ningpo	12	捷 A	200	Samshoo	2
27/ 9/34	Kwangtung	Haiphong	2	CT in diamond	30	Salted turnips	2
10/10/34	Shengking	Tongku	P/R	N/M	12	Empty drums	12
8/11/34	Tungchow	Tientsin	8	Kite in double circle	50	Acid	3½
17/11/34	Changsha	Hankow	37	W in circle	24	Ramie	1
21/11/34	Wenchow	Hankow	15	CYF	100	Wood oil	2
29/11/34	Tungchow	Weihaiwei	P/R	N M	1	Liquid fuel oil	1
	Wantung	Chungking	42	A in diamond	112	Ramie	1
9/12/34	Tungchow	Weihaiwei	P/R	N M	1	Liquid fuel oil	1
21/12/34	Whangpu	Hankow	P/R	..	6	Gramophone	6
25/12/34	Wuchang	Hankow	5	CTF	100	Wood oil	1
			6	..	100	Wood oil	1
			25	..	100	Wood oil	1
31/12/34	Sinkiang	Canton	1	GHH	1	B'boo basket	1
	Sunning	Canton		TC in square	1	Leaf fan	1
3/ 1/35	Shengking	Chefoo		N M	3	Salt	3
13/ 1/35	Shengking	Tientsin		..	2	Iron sheet	2
	Soochow	Hong Kong	6	KO in diamond	93	Old furniture	1
25/ 1/35	Shantung	Swatow	1	N M	1	Sugar	1
28/ 1/35	Taiyuan	Canton	5	X in triangle	2	Dried meat	2
1/ 2/35	Szechuen	Canton	P/R No. 35	D D AAA	1	Date block	1
13/ 2/35	Wuhu	Hankow	6	綠 生 牙	452	Green Bean	4
15/ 3/35	Sunning	Hong Kong	4	N/M	1	Rice	1
10/ 4/35	Kwangtung	Haiphong	2	KY in diamond	50	Salted turnips	4
18/ 4/35	Yochow	Haiphong	1	YS in diamond	50	,,	23
29/ 4/35	Shengking	Tientsin		triangle inside double circle	840	Soda ash	1
16/ 5/35	Szechuen	Canton	3	福 in star	1	Thermos bottles	1
21/ 5/35	Kingyuan	Haiphong	3	A in triangle	100	Salt vegetable	14
1/ 6/35	Chekiang	Hankow	12	T in diamond	1	Dry cell	1
8/ 6/35	Chengtu	Dairen	2	H in diamond	12	For. medicine	12
30/ 6/35	Shengking	Tientsin	12	K in circle	200	Samshoo	3
2/ 7/35	Kweichow	Haiphong	2	D F	50	Salt turnips	2
			3	K S C	150	,,	45
11/ 7/35	Sunning	Canton	1	N M	2	Green bean	2
17/ 7/35	Shuntien	Tientsin	P/R	..	1	Sodium sulphate	1
31/ 7/35	Shengking	Tientsin	59	E C H	100	Samshoo	1
4/ 8/35	Tungchow	Tientsin	25	N/M	22	Empty drums	22
8/ 8/35	Yochow	Haiphong	1	CC in triangle	30	Salted turnips	3
9/ 8/35	Whangpu	Hankow	4	K in diamond	2	Bean curd	2
18/ 8/35	Shasi	Changsha	3	T in diamond	2	Cigarettes damaged	2
29/ 8/35	Kwangtung	Hoihow	16	K	1	Agar agar	1
1/ 9/35	Soochow	Swatow		Z Z	1	Joss paper	1
13/ 9/35	Wuchang	Hankow	5	C 恆	1	Green sugar	1
23/ 9/35	Kangting	Chungking	P/R	B & S	1	Old brass letter	1
13/10/35	Shasi	Changsha	16	W	3	Fire cracker	3
15/10/35	Tsinan	Hong Kong	P/R No. 40	C L I Co.	1	Mineral sample	1
16/10/35	Tungchow	Chefoo	1	AX	1	Rice	1
31/10/35	Shuntien	Chefoo	48	HCS	1	Glass cups, etc.	1
7/11/35	Tungchow	Tientsin	11	Kite in double circle	50	Acid	1½
8/11/35	Woosung	Kiukiang	3	S in diamond	1	Sweetmeat	1
17/11/35	Tungchow	Tientsin	6	興 A 同	1	Joss paper	1
20/11/35	Shuntien	Tientsin	P/R	N/M	17	Empty drums	17
5/12/35	Shengking	Tientsin	2	..	1	Tank part	1
6/12/35	Sunning	Swatow	11	M in diamond	211	Tobacco ppd.	1
13/12/35	Newchwang	Newchwang	6	盛 in diamond	50	Samshoo	1
2/ 2/36	Shengking	Tientsin	P/R	J. L. Grant	1	Merchandise	1
9/ 2/36	Hsin Peking	Ningpo	14	KG	500	Samshoo	1
			15	F	100	Smashoo	1
			19	T	100	Samshoo	1
2/ 3/36	Whangpu	Hankow		ES	56	Fire cracker	1
26/ 3/36	Kingyuan	Hong Kong	P/R	ADD	1	Doll sample	1
3/ 4/36	Hsin Peking	Ningpo	1	M	15	Wall red dyes	15
5/ 4/36	Hsin Peking	Ningpo	3	KC	100	Samshoo	1
14/ 5/36	Kaying	Amoy	7	FLH in square	1	Battery	1
24/ 5/36	Shengking	Chefoo	12	生 J 金	1	Br. sugar	1
				金 P	2	,,	2
				興 A 同	1	,,	1
31/ 5/36	Shuntien	Tientsin	P/R	華 秀 王	1	Wooden stool	1
25/ 6/36	Kiungchow	Swatow		Y 順	1	Br. sugar	1
19/ 7/36	Hunan	Tientsin		inverted triangle inside double circle	5040	Soda	1
17/ 8/36	Kwangtung	Canton	19	CC	51	Dr. lychee	1
18/ 8/36	Shuntien	Tientsin		品 in triangle & circle	5040	Soda ash	50
21/ 8/36	Kiungchow	Haiphong	1	KSC	80	Salt turnips,	2
7/ 9/36	Shantung	Hong Kong	P/R	ADD	1	Eye tablets, etc.	1
29/ 9/36	Wenchow	Hankow	15/6	CYF	100	Wood oil	1
30/10/36	Kaying	Haiphong	1	PSC	98	Salt turnips	2
29/11/36	Taiyuan			B	1	Br. sugar	1
11/12/36	Shengking	Newchwang	192	B & S	1	Empty drums	1
18/12/36	Whangpu	Hankow	P/R	N/M	5	Coal sample	5
7/ 1/37	Yunnan	Canton	1	YK in diamond	1	Electric lamps	1
12/ 1/37	Woosung	Kiukiang		永 元 加 in square	1	Ses. seed	1
		Kiukiang		..	3	Yellow bean	3
		Kiukiang		..	2	Rice	2
17/ 1/37	Shuntien	Chefoo	1	V/M	5	Br. sugar	3
20/ 1/37	Wuchang	Kiukiang	1	DF in diamond	61	Rice	1
27/ 1/37	Shuntien	Tsingtao	1	N/M	1	Br. sugar	1
2/ 2/37	Soochow	Tsingtao	1	,,	1	Br. sugar	1
3/ 2/37	Wuchang	Hankow	25	盈 豐 德	50	Wood oil	4
		Hankow	26	餘 慶 有	50	Wood oil	10
7/ 2/37	Shuntien	Tsingtao	1	N/M	2	Br. sugar	2
13/ 2/37	Kwangtung	Haiphong	1	LW in diamond	1	Lamp ware	1
				..	1	Electric ware	1
22/ 2/37	Woosung	Hankow	14	恆 慶 集	280	Wood oil	2
2/ 3/37	Wenchow	Hankow	8	恆 豐 集	197	Wood oil	4
7/ 3/37	Wusueh	Hankow	25	恆 泰 集	20	Wood oil	5
	Soochow	Tsingtao	1	利 5	1	Br. Sugar	1
10/ 3/37	Shuntien	Tientsin	Parcel	N/M	5	Empty drums	5
19/ 3/37	Wuchang	Hankow	6	GFY	380	Wood oil	3
24/ 3/37	Yochow	Canton	3	Tls. in triangle	1	Brick sample	1
7/ 4/37	Wusueh	Nanking	1	昌 隆	68	Green bean	2
28/ 4/37	Wusueh	Hankow	Parcel	B & S	1	Antimony Reg.	1
		Hankow	..	,,	1	,, Crude	1
		Hankow	..	,,	1	,, Oxide	1
3/ 5/37	Woosung	Wuhu		豐 裕	1	Rice	1
3/ 5/37	Kwangchow	Canton	2	大 興	103	Soft wood plank	3
14/ 5/37	Szechuen	Hong Kong	14	FGC in diamond	30	Same colouring matter	30
2/ 6/37	Hoihow			N/M	1	Br. sugar	1
4/ 7/37	Wulin	Changsha	22	E in diamond	28	Fire cracker	1
15/ 7/37	Kingyuan	Swatow	9	H in diamond	110	China ware	1
16/ 7/37	Yochow	Hong Kong	16	DY	5	Ref sugar	5
20/ 7/37	Woosung	Hankow	20	T	1	Fish glue	1
22/ 7/37	Yunnan	Hong Kong	2	T in diamond	1	Shan Jar cakes	1
29/ 7/37	Hunan	Chefoo	31	標 商 星 金 star in centre	300	Silicate of soda	2
6/ 8/37	Wenchow	Hankow	18	CYF	200	Wood oil	2
8/ 8/37	Taiyuan	Hong Kong	11	KSC	2	Medicine	2
9/ 8/37	Woosung	Hankow	12	YHY in square	400	Wood oil	1
10/ 8/37	Siangtan	Canton	2	H in diamond	2	Rosin	2
	Yunnan	Tientsin	44	..	30	Vinegar	30
11/ 8/37	Hsin Peking	Ningpo		S	3	Joss paper	3
		Ningpo	54	啟 A	600	Samshoo	1
		Ningpo		攬 H	100	Samshoo	1
12/ 8/37	Kingyuan	Canton	10	1 in diamond	1	Dental powder	1
2/ 9/37	Wuhu	Nanking	4	恰 K in diamond	1	Medicine	1
		Nanking	4	慎 T in square	1	Medicine	1
13/ 8/37	Hsin Peking	Ningpo	8	啟 F	100	Samshoo	1
30/ 8/37	Shengking	Tientsin		FKCO	1	Store	1
14/ 9/37	Hsin Peking	Ningpo	2	CH in double triangle	2	Cigarettes	2
			3	..	2	Cigarettes	2

Date	Steamer	From	B/L No.	Marks	Ex. lot Packages	Contents	Balance
16/10/37	Tsinan	Hong Kong	13	N/M	1	Medicine	1
23/10/37	Taiyuan	Tsingtao	4	WT in triangle	4	Books	4
13/11/37	Wuhu	Hankow	42A	HOF in diamond	28	Medicine	1
		Hankow	69A/71A	HF in diamond	19	Medicine	1
19/11/37	Shantung	Hong Kong	13	AHJENSEN SEATTLE	1	Sundries	1
29/11/37	Shengking	Tientsin	16	裕 in circle	1	Medicine	1
30/11/37	Wusueh	Tungchow	3	明 N in square	30	Medicine	1
3/12/37	Wuhu	Tungchow		N/M	2	Varnish	2
6/12/37	Wusueh	Tungchow		Y L 龍雲 in diamond	2	Wood oil	2
15/12/37	Wuhu	Tungchow		SGC in diamond	39	Wood oil	5
		Tungchow	8	H 怡	1	Walnut pulp	1
18/12/37	Wusueh	Tungchow	Parcel	Bung & Co.	1	Oil sample	1
		Tungchow		EH in diamond	1	Tea	1
		Tungchow		N/M	19	Tea	7
		Tungchow		SGC	43	Wood oil	1
23/12/37	Wusueh	Hankow		N/M	4	Tea	4
24/12/37	Chekiang	Tientsin	7	S in diamond	1	Provision assent	1
		Tientsin	48	富 in square	20	Wheat	20
25/12/37	Shengking	Tientsin	54	N M	1	Gr. nut oil	1
26/12/37	Wuhu	Tungchow		SF	64	Wood oil	1
28/12/37	Wusueh	Tungchow		SGS	62	Wood oil	3
31/12/37	Shuntien	Chefoo	21	N M	99	Fresh apples	20
4/ 1/38	Wusueh	Tungchow	15	益 A 鵬	250	Yellow bean	1
6/ 1/38	Liangchow	Tungchow		N/M	3	Gr. nut oil	3
9/ 1/38	Wusueh	Tungchow	68	BA in diamond	23	Medicine	23
	Liangchow	Ningpo	47	D	50	Samshoo	1
		Ningpo		N/M	1	Medicine	1
11/ 1/38	Wuhu	Tungchow		裕 隆 公	1988	Gr. nut oil	2
17/ 1/38	Siushan	Hoihow	11	N/M	2	Medicine	2
25/ 1/38	Hsin Peking	Ningpo	52	E	50	Samshoo	2
		Ningpo	153	H in diamond	153	Paper	11
28/ 1/38	Soochow	Swatow	103	M in diamond	2	Pred. plum	2
29/ 1/38	Shengking	Chefoo	1	TEXACO	60	Empty drums	1
30/ 1/38	Wusueh	Tungchow	11	N/M	3	Bean cake	3
13/ 2/38	Soochow	Hong Kong		..	10	Asbestos stand	10
16/ 2/38	Wusueh	Tungchow	44	B	5000	Beancake	20
1/ 3/32	Taiyuan	Hong Kong	20	N M	1 b/-	Clay	1 b/-
24/ 3/32	Wuchang	Kiukiang	72	S S	92 b/s	Oyster shells	92 b/s
7/ 5/32	Chusan	Antung	3	新 F	250 bkt	Bean oil	2
7/ 5/32	Chusan	Antung	6 7	玉 H in diamond	450 ,,	,, ,,	1
7/ 5/32	Chusan	Antung	26 7	國 S in circle	50 ,,	,, ,,	1
1/ 8/32*	Chusan	Antung	12/7	F Y in diamond	100 ,,	,, ,,	3
27/ 8/32	Hanyang	Newchwang	7	A in diamond	7 b/s	Medicine	2
27/ 8/32	Ngankin	Kiukiang	24	R	300	Paper IV	3
3/ 4/33	Tsinan	Hong Kong	30	add	2 box	Rice sample	2
19/ 6/33	Woosung	Kiukiang	13	C	154 pkg	Paper III	5
26/12/33	Tsinan	Hong Kong		Coth Charres Walker	1 c/-	Shoes	1
18/ 1/34	Soochow	Hong Kong	88	Ges Winter	1 paper box	Sweet	1
26/ 1/34	Wusueh	Pukow	44	Y K in diamond	70 b/s	Rice	1
8/ 2/34	Kwangtung	Hong Kong	17	Ges Boutten	1 pkg	Calender	1
25/ 2/34	Suiyang	Hong Kong	45	Ford Motor Co.	1 pkg	Magazine	1
2/ 5/34	Kanchow	Antung	11	C	100 bkt	Bean oil	1
11/ 5/34	Chakiang	Newchwang	8	A in diamond	42 b/s	Medicine	6
31/ 5/34	Changsha	Shasi	3	A in diamond	80 b/s	Rice	1
31/ 5/34	Kwangtung	Hong Kong	22	PCMC	2 d/m	Molasses	2
16/ 9/34	Tsinan	Hong Kong	31	N/M	1 pkg	Printing matter	1
19/10/34	Szechuen	Hong Kong	P/R 3	N/M	1 bdl	Wood plank	1
22/10/34	Wuchang	Kiukiang	15	C	1 pkg	Paper III	1
1/11/34	Sunning	Hong Kong		O	1 b/-	Brown sugar	1
24/11/34	Tatung	Kiukiang	39	C	59 pkg	Paper III	4
20/ 1/35	Wenchow	Hankow		源 B in circle	1 b/-	Yellow beans	1
24/ 1/35	Wuchang	Kiukiang	40	C	50 pkg	Paper IV	13
30/ 1/35	Wenchow	Hankow	5	聚 S	160 b/-	Yellow bean	1
8/ 3/35	Wuchang	Kiukiang	19	C	100 pkg	Paper IV	4
10/ 3/35	Taiyuan	Hong Kong		B	1 b/-	Ref. sugar	1
19/ 3/35	Soochow	Hong Kong	5	Messrs. Frasser Motor Ltd.	1 pkg	Printing matter	1
30/ 1/35	Wenchow	Hankow	5	聚 S	100 pkg	Paper IV	4
8/ 3/35	Wuchang	Kiukiang	19	C	100 pkg	Paper IV	4
19/ 3/35	Soochow	Hong Kong	5	Messrs. Frasser Motor Ltd.	1 pkg	Printing matter	1
18/ 4/35	Wuhu	Hankow	50	ABC DXF DCLD	2 pkg	Duck feathers	2
22/ 5/35	Chekiang	Kiukiang	10	C	108 pkg	Paper	4
26/ 5/35	Whangpu	Kiukiang	4	C	80 pkg	Paper III	9
31/ 5/35	Wuchang	Kiukiang	11	C	116 pkg	Paper III	3
12/ 6/35	Chekiang	Kiukiang	6	C	63 pkg	Paper III	3
26/ 9/35	Szechuen	Hong Kong	天津	島 齊	1 box	Hat sample	1
26/ 9/35	Szechuen	Hong Kong	瑞增源	體 昌 隆	1 box	Hat sample	1
15/11/35	Wuchang	Kiukiang	13	C	1 pkg	Paper IV	1
26/12/35	Yunnan	Hong Kong	8	Y T	1 b/-	Broken rice	1
8/ 9/36	Taikoo Ltr. No. 36 Wuchang	Kiukiang	7	和 H 怡	103 b/-	Rice	1
9/ 1/37	Wenchow	Kiukiang		和 申 鈞	5 b/-	Rice	5
25/ 2/37	Wuchang	Kiukiang		合 F	1	Kaoliang	1
25/ 2/37	Wuchang	Kiukiang		Y F in diamond	1	Wheat	1
18/ 7/37	Wusueh	Hankow	29	C 義 in diamond	74	Rice	1
22/ 7/37	Kiungchow	Foochow	8	泰 in circle	750	S. W. plank	5
22/ 7/37	Kiungchow	Foochow	9	昌 in circle	1000	S. W. plank	12
24/ 7/37	Wuchang	Kiukiang	29	盛 5 聚	118	Rice	3
30/ 7/37	Woosung

FROM DAY TO DAY

TODAY is the anniversary of the Coronation of their Majesties King George VI and Queen Elizabeth.

BECAUSE he resolutely declines to speak, Monsignor Jan Sramer, Prime Minister of the Czecho-Slovak Republic, lectured in Latin recently at Oxford University.

ACCORDING to Mr. George Robey, the famous English comedian, one good meal a day is all that is necessary after 50. He himself, at 72, is an excellent advertisement for the recipe. He not only feels a sprightly 55, but looks it.

MARCH 14, brought a 90th anniversary to a famous journalist—Robert Blatchford, who refuses to think of himself as old because, as he declares, "I have never lost my interest in life nor the precious faculty of wonder."

REAR-ADMIRAL Jiro Nango, President of the Kodokwan Judo Institute, who arrived here on May 8 to attend the plenary session of the association of licensed Judo experts in Central China, left for Nanking yesterday afternoon, the "Tairiku Shimpo" reported.

"GOOD Old Clara!" said the pilot of a Beaufighter, as he was taking off to meet Nazi night raiders over Britain. Clara is the up-to-the-minute R.A.F. idiom for that moon—au clair de la lune—which enabled not only the "Beau" but other night-fighters to slap the Nazi night-bombers out of the sky.

THE half-hour of music tomorrow from 8.30 until 9 p.m. on XCDN will this week consist of a recital of songs by pupils and colleagues of the late William Loewit. It is hoped that Madame Bela Resek, Madame Sonia Kucej, Miss Margaret Sinclair, Mr. David McGavin and Mr. E. G. Dumbarton will be able to take part.

SIR Irving Albery, M.P., who has been asking questions about the machinery for collecting premiums under the British War Damage Bill, has many connections with the drama. His father was a well-known dramatic author, while his mother was the late Mary Moore, afterwards Lady Wyndham. He married a daughter of Henry Arthur Jones, another dramatic author.

SOMETHING in the nature of a Gallup Poll will be taken by XCDN tonight at 8.30 p.m. when Frank Barry and Kenneth Mackenzie conduct a tele-radio enquiry, "Your Candid Opinion, Please." An open microphone in the control room and direct telephone connection enable the audience to hear all that is going on and give some idea of the inner workings of a radio station.

THE House of Lords is better represented in the Services than the House of Commons owing to the fact that, so many peers are young men. No fewer than 166 members of the Upper House are serving in the Forces, their rank ranging from field-marshal to private. The 116 House of Commons men serving include Admiral of the Fleet Sir Roger Keyes and Petty-Officer A. P. Herbert.

THE Lord Provost of Glasgow, Sir Patrick Dollan, a Socialist of the profoundly loyal and patriotic kind, has his critics a propos the recently-conferred kinghthood. He tells of a letter received the other day from a woman owner of a budgerigar:—

"My budgie can say, 'Paddy Dollan is a toff. Paddy Dollan is a traitor. Away wi' the blighter.' Can you use your influence to get me a packet of budgie seed for my clever wee bird?"

THE late Mr. James Pryde, although so fanciful, macabre, and dramatic an artist, always set his face against the convention that an artist should look "arty." Not for him the hirsute picturesqueness and floppy Bohemianism of Chelsea and Bloomsbury. He shaved with precision and regularity, had his hair cut as short as the next man, wore a bowler hat, and was particular about his linen and the cut of his suits.

LIEUT.-GENERAL Alan Gordon Cunningham, G.O.C. British Forces in East Africa, was trained as a "gunner," and as such served in the Great War. But he is also an expert in the use of small arms, notably machine-guns. And it is with the use of these weapons that his force of Imperial troops has been able to advance 370 miles in one month over difficult country. Like his distinguished brother, the Commander-in-Chief of the Mediterranean Fleet, he is a thruster and hard-hitter, both on the playing fields and on the field of battle.

MR. Graham Cunningham, whose assistance in framing the British War Damage Bill has been acknowledged by Sir Kingsley Wood, is a solicitor who forsook the law for a highly-successful business career. He went into the City eighteen years ago as the chairman of an asbestos and rubber packing firm, and attracted much attention by his organizing abilities. He is an Essex man, who took a degree at London University, and rose to the rank of captain in the last war. He was formerly deputy director of the Children's Overseas Reception Board.

APPARENTLY the Forces do not spend all their time listening to B.B.C. broadcasts. Apart from anti-aircraft units, which are provided for separately, over 3,000 soldiers were attending classes in Scotland alone at the end of last year. A number are studying languages, including Arabic. But German, French, and Italian, in that order, are the most popular with the students, who expect to be able to make use of them later. Girl soldiers are not being neglected, and cooking, typing, dressmaking, and beauty culture are among courses open.

BEHIND the appointment of Mr. Frank Parkinson as Deputy Director of Contracts for the British Ministry of Suppy is a veritable romance of industry. Born at Guiseley of poor parents 54 years ago, he went to the local day school, but, determined to get on, attended evening classes at the University of Leeds. By the time he was 21, he had saved £21 in the Post Office. With this as his sole capital, he set up business for himself in the centre of Leeds as an electrical engineer, and has never looked back. Five years ago he was able to give £250,000 to the Leeds University for scholarship endowment and the building of an administrative block.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

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These Industrialists:
International Arms Cliques

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—On April 27 the "North-China Daily News" published news headed "James Young Writes Book on Japan" in which it was stated that Young felt the public in the U.S.A. wanted action on the continued export of war materials to Japan under State Department permits.

Some people here in town, especially those who are convinced that the national interest and that of private industry move in the same direction, must have been terribly shocked by those lines. Others, however, who have been studying the complicated and intricate connections between those "industrialists" for some time, know that their tendencies have always been more international than national. The reader will perhaps remember what was revealed to the public about Krupp, who constantly delivered arms to neutral countries during the first world war, very well knowing that those commodities would be transferred to Germany's enemies, while M. Wendell managed the same business in reverse. Well, those who have been given a clear and logical mind must therefore permanently distinguish between the democrate whose democracy means "Everything for the benefit of the community," and the so-called democrats for whom democracy means the absolute dictatorial, financial power to direct and exploit the ignorant masses. Those creatures don't care for the lives of millions of human beings if their profit is high enough. They will always strengthen the national contrasts and deepen the misunderstandings between nations. We will not and must not forget that it was that international clique that created Hitler, helping him to defeat German democracy as defender of their sacred financial interests. We will not and must not forget that it was that international clique that supported him in all the years of his diabolical suppression (the shadow of the swastika), hoping to find a suitable instrument in him.

Still they are at work! Don't you feel their destructive activity? Today they are delivering arms to Japan, tomorrow they will do something similar, for "their war is business, and their business is war."

But as certainly as the earth moves around the sun, their turn will come, when the people will find out where their enemies, the enemies of human society, stand.

P. G.

Shanghai, May 9.

Avenue Haig Dump:
A Menace to Health

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—I heartily endorse HYGIENE'S views, and likewise wish to voice my protest in respect to the filth that is being allowed to accumulate on the vacant piece of land on Avenue Haig, opposite Brookside Apartments, and which is adjoining the Cathedral Girls School. The surrounding district is plagued with flies, which is a very serious menace to public health, and should be dealt with promptly.

Last week I noticed that P.H.D. men were engaged in spraying the evil-smelling creek, adjoining the vacant piece of land, presumably in order to exterminate the mosquito larvae, so I earnestly hope that this same body will lose no time in cleaning up this appalling evil-smelling mess, which is being used as a garbage dump, public lavatory, and dumping ground for corpses.

"An ounce of prevention, is worth a pound of cure," and I most earnestly urge the authorities concerned to speedily check this fly scourge, and to act promptly to protect the health of the children of the Cathedral Girls' School, and the surrounding district, before it becomes a more serious menace.

HEALTH.

Shanghai, May 8.

Justice:
Disparity in Sentence

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—May I say that the scales of Justice appear to be badly balanced in the under-noted cases reported by you today:—

HEROIN SMOKERS JAILED

Found guilty of smoking heroin in a house in Chengtu Road, Pai Ching-wei and Yang Feng-chuen were each sentenced to twelve years' imprisonment yesterday by the First Special District Court.

BOMBERS SENTENCED

Charged with attempting to bomb the Shui Kee Flour Shop at 122 North Chekiang Road on March 24, Tseng Hui-li was sentenced to six months' imprisonment yesterday by the First Special District Court.

The sentences recall to mind the words of Tennyson "I mete and dole unequal laws." It would seem clear that the laws that show so poor a sense of proportion, should be repealed and replaced by something more befitting the expiation of crime.

AUSTRAL.

Shanghai, May 9.

Gambling House Said Ordered Closed

With the name of the biggest gambling house in the western district continuously appearing daily in the Chinese press, it was reported yesterday by the "Central China Daily News," organ of the new regime that the Greater Shanghai Municipal Government had received an order from the Executive Yuan requiring the Chinese city regime to close gambling houses in the district. Upon receiving the order, it was said, the Mayor ordered the newly formed joint police bureau in the district to carry out the Nanking order and to make a report about the work.

Relief Measures in East Chekiang

Chinese Claim Another City Retaken; Price of Rice in Foochow Soars

Chinese reports from Kinhwa, war-time capital of Chekiang province, stated yesterday that Chinese troops retook Singshan, a district near the east Chekiang coast, on May 7. The district was taken by the Japanese landing at Shihpu on April 30, but soon Chinese reinforcements came up and started a counter attack. Magistrate Sheng Shih-sheng and his staff have returned to work. It was admitted that his offices and those formerly used by Kuomintang officials had been totally destroyed by fire and that extensive looting had taken place before Chinese troops re-entered the district.

The fact that not many Chinese reports regarding the war situation in Chekiang were received gives the impression that the military situation there might have been stalemated, while reports published by the new régime's press tended to impress the people with the return of normalcy in the newly occupied districts. Relief workers of the Nanking régime were reported to have been ordered by the Executive Yuan to give immediate relief to the people in the war-torn districts. It was said in this connection that before the Japanese occupied Foochow, rice there was sold at the price of $500 per picul.

Telegrams Resumed

Telegraphic communications between Shanghai and the east Chekiang districts retaken by the Chinese are reported to have been resumed. These districts are Yungchia, Huwanyen, Hsingchang, Haimen, Juian, Chenghsian, Wenchow and Koo Aou Tao. Postal communication has also been made possible, although in some cases mail must be sent in a roundabout way. The Chinese press reported that there were still seven third-party steamers held in the vicinity of the Chusan Group.

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The undermentioned vessels are due to leave Shanghai on the dates indicated.

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P Garfield	15/5	Nitta M	13/5
P Monroe	29/5	D. Aniceta	15/5
For Karachi		P Garfield	15/5
Anyo M	24/5	Collingsworth	20/5
For New York		P Cleveland	26/5
D. Aniceta	15/5	Kamakura M	27/5
P Garfield	15/5	P Monroe	29/5
Tosan M	16/5	West Cuseta	3/6
P Monroe	29/5	**For Hongkong**	
For Los Angeles		P Garfield	15/5
P Coolidge	20/5	Collingsworth	20/5
P Taft	21/5	P Cleveland	26/5
P Cleveland	8/6	P Monroe	29/5
For San Fco.		West Cuseta	3/6
P Coolidge	20/5	**For Kobe and Yokohama**	
P Taft	21/5	Taiyo M	12/5
P Cleveland	8/6	P Coolidge	20/5
For Seattle		P Taft	21/5
Collingsworth	20/5	**For Nagasaki**	
West Cuseta	3/6	Shanghai M	14/5
		Nagasaki M	16/5
		For Dairen	
		Tsingtao M	14/5
		Tientsin M	16/5
		Dairen M	17/5

Yesterday's Arrivals

Name	From	Consignees
Antai	Hsinkong	Chung Hua
Hsinyuan	Hsinkong	Tung Hai
Kindia	Saigon	M.M.
Husan M.	Tsingtao	N.Y.K.
Mikage M. 20	Tsingtao	Y.K.K.
Myoko M.	Japan	T.K.K.
Meisoo	S.-I.-W. Kong	S.V.O.C.

Men-of-War in Port

Name	Flag	Type	Berthed
Luzon	Am.	Gbt.	B.N.B.
D. de Lagree	Fr.	Gbt.	K.S.D.
Fran. Garnier	Fr.	Gbt.	F.N.B.
E. Carlotto	Itl.	Gbt.	1-2 B.
Lepanto	Itl.	Gbt.	1-2 B.

SHIPPING NEWS

The ss. **Yichang** of the Tai Ping Company is due here this morning from Hongay bringing a full cargo of coal for discharge in Shanghai. She will tie up at the lower buoys 19 and 20.

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The **Hoten Maru** of the Dairen Kisen Kaisya on the Shanghai-Tsingtao-Dairen run sailed for northern ports yesterday morning leaving the company's Whangpoo Wharf in Yangtszepoo where she was docked.

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The Dairen Kisen Kaisya **Dairen Maru** operating between Shanghai and northern ports is due in port this afternoon and will dock alongside the company's Whangpoo Wharf in Yangtszepoo. She will leave port on Wednesday at 9 a.m. for Tsingtao and Dairen.

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The fast Panamanian freighter **Essi** chartered by the Chung Tung Shipping and Forwarding Co., Ltd., is due to sail from the lowerbuoys 23 and 24 this morning direct for Haiphong. She arrived in port early on Saturday morning from Port Courbet bringing to Shanghai 1,600 tons of coal in addition to general cargo.

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According to the "Shipping Review" there is an increased demand for freight between here and northern ports, the reasons being three-fold viz: 1. the relaxation of restrictions in the north, 2. the re-opening of the four Chinese government banks, 3. less difficulty in obtaining import permits. The prospect for trade, it was stated, are much brighter than it has been for a long time.

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The master of a steamer plying between Hongkong and Macao has reported that a floating mine was sighted at a position three-quarters of a mile south 56 degrees west from Shek Ku Chau (Patung Island) on April 27. The master of an American vessel reported that on April 25, a floating mine was sighted in Lat. 23 degrees 07 mins. N., Long. 117 degrees 19 mins. 30 seconds, E. (approximately).

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Due here on Wednesday is the ss. **President Garfield** fourth new luxury liner constructed for the American President Lines' round the world service, under the command of Capt. J. E. Murphy, veteran shipmaster of the Line who admits that number four is his number of destiny. It was on the fourth day of the fourth month years ago (which is twice four), otherwise April 4, 1933, when he took over command of the old President Garfield. The new President Garfield recently completed her trial run off the Virginia Coast. Like her three sister ships before her she was built by the Newport News Shipbuilding Company at Newport News where three other ships of the same type and for the same service are now under construction.

Vessels Arriving To-day

The following particulars in connection with vessels due to arrive today are based upon information available yesterday evening.

From PACIFIC PORTS: Nitta Maru, with mail, due 2 p.m., Wayside Wharf.

From DAIREN: Tsingtao Maru, with mail, due 4 p.m., Whangpoo Wharf.

Due at Future Dates

All vessels are listed under their terminal port. The first date is that of the ship's departure from that port, and the second is the date she is due to arrive in Shanghai. Where a ship's name is duplicated it indicates the port of call last visited.

On account of the present international situation there is considerable interference with movements of ships, especially those from Europe. In cases where it is definitely known that the vessel is not running to schedule the Shanghai arrival date is omitted.

STRAITS AND INDIA

From Bombay		From Calcutta	
Melb'ne M	— 13/5	Toyooka M	— 27/5

AMERICA AND JAPAN

From New York		From Honolulu	
D. Aniceta	— 13/5	K'kura M	22/4 26/5
P Garfield	— 14/5	Yawata M	7/5 2/6
Tosan M	— 15/5		
Kyusyu M	— 23/5	**From Yokohama**	
P Monroe	— 28/5	Husimi M	— 23/5
From Los Angeles			
P C'land	— 25/5	**From Kobe**	
K'kura M	14/4 26/5	Taiyo M	19/5 21/5
Yawata M	28/4 2/6	Tottori M	— 23/5
From Seattle			
C'sworth	25/4 17/5	**From Nagasaki**	
W Cuseta	10/5 1/6	S'hai M	12/5 13/5

CHINA PORTS

From Dairen	
T'tsin M	13/5 15/5

Yesterday's Departures

Name	Flag	Despatcher
Folozu	Pana.	Wallem
Hoten M.	Jap.	D.K.K.
Nagasaki M.	Jap.	T.K.K.

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ss. HOTEN MARU	May 18	May 20	at 9 a.m.
ss. TSINGTAO MARU	May 21	May 23	at 9 a.m.

DAIREN-TIENTSIN LINE (Sailing from Dairen)

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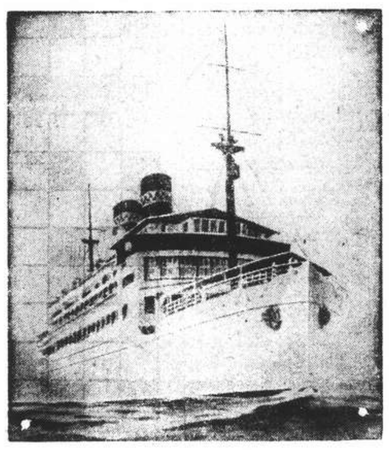
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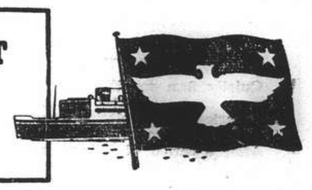

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COMMERCE AND FINANCE

New York Stocks

Saturday's Closing Quotations

New York, May 10.

Quietly firm conditions were witnessed on Wall Street today, with stock prices mainly closing from fractions to over one point higher.

After a period of dullness, sudden activity was recorded during the final hour when the market swung upwards, with gains spreading over a wide list, headed by coppers and steel, while rails again met with investment support.

Meanwhile, foreign political news was unchanged, while possible critical war developments still overhang the market and tend operators to caution.

The volume of business done amounted to 380,000 shares.

Dow-Jones Averages

	High	Low	Close	Changes
30 Indust.	117.69	116.53	117.54	+1.06
20 Rails	29.33	29.04	29.31	+0.30
15 Utilities	17.41	17.35	17.41	+0.10
40 Bonds	——	——	92.05	+0.12
11 Commod.	——	——	68.11	+0.03

	May 9	10		May 9	10
Admas Exp	5⅝	5⅞	Int T & T	2¼	*2¼
Alg Lud	22	22⅜	Johns Man	58¼	59
Allis Chal	27¼	27	Kennecott	34⅜	35
Amer Can	79½	79	Libbey	21⅞	21⅞
Am Cyan B	36	36	Lockheed	23⅜	23¼
Am For Pr	*⅝	*⅝	Loew Inc	29⅜	29⅝
.. $7 pfd	17⅝	18¼	Martin	28⅜	28⅜
Am Loco	12	12⅜	Mont Ward	32	32⅛
Am Metal	16⅜	*17	Nat Avian	*7¼	*7¼
Am *Radtr	6	6⅛	N C Bank	*25	*25½
Am R Mill	14⅛	14⅜	Nat Dairy	12⅜	13
Am Smelt	38¼	39⅛	Nat Dist	18⅛	18⅛
Am T & T	149⅜	150¼	Nat P & L	6	6⅛
Am Sug	16	*16	Nat Sup	6	6⅛
Am Tob B	*66	66⅞	N Y Cent	13⅞	13⅞
Am Wtwrks	4⅛	4⅛	Niag Hud	2⅜	2⅜
Anaconda	25	26	N A Avian	13	13⅛
Acthison	29⅜	30⅝	N Am Co	12	12⅛
Avian Cpn	3	2⅛	N [Pacific	7¼	7⅛
Bald Loco	13⅜	14	Packard	2⅛	2⅜
Balt & O	3⅜	4⅛	Paramount	11⅜	11⅜
Parns Oil	9⅜	9⅜	Penn R R	24⅜	25
Bendix	34½	35	Phil Pet	41⅜	41⅜
Beth Steel	69⅜	71⅛	Pullman	24⅜	25⅛
Bliss	15⅛	15⅝	Pure Oil	9⅛	9⅛
Boeing	13⅜	14	Radio	3⅜	3⅜
Borg War	16⅛	16⅜	Reading	15⅛	15⅛
Briggs Mfg	19⅛	19⅜	Rem Arms	*4⅛	*5⅜
Budd Mfg	3⅜	4	Rep Avtion	3⅛	3⅜
Can Pac	3⅜	3⅜	Rep Steel	17⅜	18⅛
Celanese	21¼	*21	Rey Tob B	29⅛	28
C N Bank	*29¼	*29½	Schenley	6⅜	9⅛
Che & O	36⅜	37¼	Shell U Oil	14⅛	14⅜
Chrysler	56¼	58¼	Soc Vac	9⅜	9⅜
Col G & E	2⅜	2⅜	Sthrn Pac	12⅜	12⅜
Col Credit	24¼	24	Sthrn Rly	25⅛	25⅛
Com & Sth	0⅜	0⅜	Spicer	29⅛	29⅞
Cons Edis	18⅜	18⅜	Std Brands	5¼	5⅛
Cons Oil	5⅜	6	Std G & E	*0⅛	*0⅛
Copld St	14⅛	14⅜	Std Oil	36⅛	36⅜
Curtiss Wr	8⅜	8⅜	Studebaker	4⅞	5⅛
Douglas	66⅛	68	Swift Int	19⅛	19⅜
Du Pont	141⅜	141	Technicor	8	*7⅞
E P Lead	*6⅛	8	Tex Corp	38⅜	38⅜
F A Lite	27⅛	27⅞	Transamer	4⅛	4⅜
E B & S	2⅛	2⅛	Tw C Fox	5⅛	*5⅜
.. $5 pfd	57¼	*57	Un B & P	11	11
.. $6 pfd	61¼	62½	Un Pac	80	81¼
Elec P & L	*33¾	*33¾	Un Air	28⅜	28⅜
Flintkote	12⅜	12⅜	Un A Lines	9⅝	9⅝
Gen Elec	28⅜	29	Un Sorp	0⅛	0⅛
Gen Motors	38⅜	40	.. $3 pfd	21⅛	21⅛
Gen Rly	12⅛	13	Un G Imp	6⅞	6⅞
Gen T & R	10⅜	*10⅛	U S Rub	22⅜	22⅛
Goodrich	12⅛	12⅜	U S Steel	53⅞	54⅞
Goodyear	17⅜	17⅝	Vultec	5⅜	4⅞
Gt N I Ore	13⅞	14	Vanadium	24⅛	24⅜
Gt N Rly	26⅜	27	Walworth	4¼	4⅜
Gt W Sug	22¼	22	War Br Pets	2⅜	2⅜
Int Nickel	25	25⅛	West Elec	98⅛	99⅛
Int P & P	13⅞	14⅛	Woodward	*23⅞	*23⅞

BONDS

Am For P	56⅛	57⅞	Erie	24⅜	24⅝
Australian	58⅜	58⅜	Int T &T	48⅜	48⅛
Brazil	19⅜	19⅜	New E & E	62⅜	62⅜
6½%	16⅛	16⅜	Std Pac	55⅛	55⅞
C SP & L	98⅛	95⅞	St G & E	33⅛	88

*—Bid. †—Ex Div.

Dow-Jones Summary

By courtesy of Swan, Culbertson & Fritz

Stock prices vigorously rallied before the close today under the leadership of steels on an increased volume, after a period of early dullness. Some concern was manifest over the strike in the West Coast shipping industry. However, the main concern of traders continues to be war developments and the threats of Government control. Railroads plan a conference for May 12, to consider means of handling traffic increases, and efforts to avoid increased Government regulation. Industrial activity is expanding after the coal strike settlement, but the question of new taxes is still undecided.

U.S. Commodities

Saturday's Closing Quotations

New York, May 10.

Strong and active conditions prevailed in the cotton market at the outset on general buying and shorts covering, with quotations ruling from 12 to 18 points up. A report that the Administration had indicated that a 85 per cent. parity loan was not high aided sentiment. However, at the highs for the day, liquidation and profit taking pared gains somewhat. At the close, quotations ranged from 4 to 13 points up from the previous final levels.

The market for raw rubber futures ruled firm in an active session on good trade and factory buying of both "spots" and futures, reports of continued excellent consumption and decreased offerings. At the last all over, gains from 45 to 48 points were recorded.

The declined witnessed in the Chicago Wheat Pit today was influenced by selling on the reaction theory, realizing operators and the bearish Government crop report, indicating a production of 653,105,000 bushels and ultimately substantial marketings at harvest-time. At the final bell, losses of ⅝ cent were registered.

New York Cotton		New York Rubber	
May	12.39 N. +04	July	24.45-46 +47
July	12.42-42 +07	Sept.	23.95-95 +45
Oct.	12.56-56 +06	Dec.	25.65-65 +47
Dec.	12.64-64 +13	Mar.	25.30 B +45
Jan.	12.61-61 +11		
Mar.	12.64-64 +11		

N. Y. Sugar No. 3		N. Y. Sugar No. 4	
July	2.50-51 unc. B/A	July	0.84-84½ +2 B/A
Sept.	2.52-54 unc. B/A	Sept.	0.90½-91 +3 B/A

Chicago Wheat		Chicago Corn	
July	96¼-96⅛ —⅝	July	72¾-72⅞ +⅜
Sept.	96¾-96⅝ —⅝	Sept.	73½-73½ unc.

B—Bid A—Asked.—Reuter.

Foreign Exchanges

Closing, May 10.

Bombay Rupee T. T. on:

Japan	81½ N.	London	1/5⅛
N.Y.	333¼-332¾	2 mths	
Shanghai	19	.. sellers	1/5⅛
Hongkong	84½	.. buyers	1/6
		Japan 2 mths	
		.. sellers	83 N.
		.. buyers	77¼ N

London £ Sterling T. T. on:

New York	402.50	Bombay	1/6
Madrid	40.00	Hongkong	1/3⅛
Berne	17.30	Singapore	2/4⅜
Bel. Congo	176½	Yokohama	1/2½
Shanghai	3⅞d.	.. buying	1/2

New York U.S.$. T. T. on:

Berlin	40.05	Brazil	5.05
Spain	9.25 N.	Japan	23.45/48*
Paris	2.29	Shanghai	5.47
Italy	5.05 N.	Hongkong	24.46
S'zerland	23.22	Hungary	19.85
.. "free"	23.25	Finland	2.50
Sweden	23.65	Manila	49.30 N.
Montreal	87.125		

London	4.03¼
Buenos Aires Paper	29.78
.. .. .. market rate	23.80
Montreal on London	4.62¾

*—Offered N—Nominal.—Reuter.

Foreign Money Rates

London: May 10.

Fine Bank Bills,	3 months	1⅛%
Bank Bills,	6 months	1⅛%
Fine Trade Bills,	3 months	2¾%
Fine Trade Bills,	6 months	3¼%
Call money		0⅞%

New York: closed.—Reuter.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

Statistical Data Concerning Leading Stocks

By courtesy of Swan, Culbertson & Fritz

Name of Stock (No par value except where indicated)	Dividends: Annual rate $	Dividends: Date of 1st quarterly payment	Book value	Earnings or Deficits: 5 yr Average 1935-39	1938	1939	1940	Yield on basis of price in '40
Adams Express	0.40†	Irregular	12	—	0.16	0.29	—	7
Alleghany Ludlum Steel	1.50†	Apr. 1	18	—	D 1.04	1.49	—	7
Allis Chalmers	1.50	Mar. 30	33	—	1.44	2.09	2.84	6
American can	4	Feb. 15	48	6.29	4.35	6.22	5.88	5
Am. Cyanamid "B"	2.10	Apr. 1	17	—	0.91	2.01	—	6
Am. and Foreign Power	—	—	—	1.43	D 8.66	D 8.88	—	nil
Am. and For.P. $7 cum.Pref.	1.40	Mar. 15	110	23.49	6.83	6.21	—	nil
Am. Locomotive	—	—	6	4.20	D 4.90	D 4.45	0.50	nil
Am. Radiator	0.55†	Irregular	10	1.84	D 0.08	0.34	0.70	9
Am. Rolling Mill	0.35†	Irregular	28	2.46	D 1.16	0.69	1.96	5
American Smelting	2.75†	Feb. 28	38	7.27	3.24	4.36	4.21	5
Am. Sugar Refining	0.50	Irregular	137	—	D 6.10	D 0.84	—	3
Am. Tel. and Tel.	9	Jan. 15	24	1.30	8.32	10.18	11.26	6
Am. Tob. "B"	5	Mar. 1	19	6.00	4.89	5.42	—	8
Am. Waterworks	—	—	59	2.80	0.38	0.95	1.21	nil
Anaconda Copper	2.25†	Mar. 25	260	4.97	1.10	2.33	4.04	8
Atch. Top. & S. Fe	1	Irregular	37	19.16	0.83	0.94	2.69	3
Baldwin Locomotive	—	—	126	—	D 1.09	0.41	1.75	nil
Baltimore and Ohio	100	—	7	11.36	D 6.04	D 1.55	—	nil
Barnsdall Oil	0.60	Feb. 1	122	—	1.26	0.76	—	6
Bendix Aviation	3	Mar. 1	15	—	0.07	2.14	—	9
Bethlehem Steel	5.50†	Irregular	5	7.06	D 0.70	5.75	—	8
Bliss (E. W.)	—	—	15	—	0.01	D 0.99	—	nil
Boeing Airplane	5	—	16	—	D 0.77	D 4.55	0.34	nil
Borg-Warner	1.65†	Apr. 1	—	—	D 0.01	2.43	2.88	10
Briggs Manufacturing	2.25	Mar. 30	16	—	0.42	109	3.69	11
Canadian Pacific Rly.	—	—	40	3.11	D 0.32	0.32	1.13	nil
Chase Nat. Bank	13.55	F.A. 1	32	4.64	1.96	1.80	—	5
Chesapeake & Ohio	3.50†	Jan. 1	51	5.67	2.62	3.49	—	9
Chrysler	5.75†	Mar. 13	40	4.69	4.32	8.47	8.69	10
Columbia Gas and Electric	0.40†	Irregular	12	2.08	0.31	0.16	—	14
Commercial Credit	10	Mar. 31	29	—	4.60	4.01	—	12
Commonwealth & Southern	—	—	5	0.67	0.08	0.13	—	nil
Consolidated Edison	2	Mar. 15	43	4.50	2.09	2.22	2.23	10
Consolidated Oil	0.65	Feb. 15	18	—	0.55	0.55	—	11
Douglas Aircraft	5	Irregular	21	1.50	3.76	4.81	18.05	7
Dupont de Nemours	10	Mar. 15	42	5.17	3.75	7.66	7.23	5
Eagle Picher Lead	0.50†	Irregular	14	—	—	1.29	1.42	6
Elec. Auto Lite	3	Apr. 1	18	—	1.53	2.72	—	11
Electric Bond & Share	—	—	19	2.15	0.18	0.24	0.29	nil
Elec. Bond & Share $6 Pref.	6	Feb. 1	—	—	—	—	—	9
Flintkote	1.25†	Irregular	13	—	1.21	2.11	—	10
General Electric	1.85†	Jan. 25	11	1.81	0.90	1.43	1.95	6
General Motors	3.75†	Mar. 12	19	4.83	2.17	4.06	4.32	9
General Railway Signal	—	—	16	7.99	D 0.85	0.34	—	nil
Goodrich Rubber	0.75†	Irregular	26	2.09	0.14	3.51	—	6
Goodyear Tire and Rubber	1.25	Mar. 15	26	5.12	1.34	3.20	3.44	7
Great Northern Ry. Pfd	0.50*	—	157	9.47	1.09	3.47	—	7
Great Western Sugar	2	Jan. 2	14	—	3.08	1.17	1.67	9
Int. Nickel	2	Mar. 30	14	0.85	2.09	2.39	2.30	8
Int. Paper & Power	—	—	27	—	D 2.07	0.14	—	nil
Int. Tel. and Tel.	—	—	30	3.45	1.10	0.76	—	nil
Kennecott	3†	Mar. 30	32	3.67	2.10	3.14	—	9
Libbey-Owens-Ford Glass.	3.50	Mar. 15	16	—	1.57	3.21	4.05	11
Lockheed Aircraft	1.50	Irregular	9	—	0.60	4.04	3.17	10
Loew's Inc.	3	Mar. 30	56	6.17	5.65	5.37	4.82	7
Montgomery Ward	2	Jan. 15	34	2.51	3.50	4.91	4.14	6
Nat. City Bank N.Y.	1¼	F.A. 1	27	4.12	—	2.25	—	4
Nat. Dairy Products	0.80	Jan. 2	13	3.58	1.69	1.97	1.66	6
National Distillers	2	Feb. 1	22	—	3.83	3.43	—	11
Nat. Power and Light	0.60	Mar. 1	22	1.74	1.28	1.12	—	10
New York Central	—	—	142	12.63	D 3.13	0.70	1.75	nil
North Am. Aviation	1.25	Irregular	3	—	0.55	2.06	—	9
North American Co.	1.20*	Jan. 2	21	4.47	1.55	1.84	1.92	10
Pacific Gas and Electric	2	Jan. 16	30	2.83	2.42	2.84	2.68	7
Packard Motors	—	—	3	0.17	D 0.04	0.04	—	nil
Paramount Pictures	0.65†	Irregular	17	—	0.55	1.08	—	6
Pennsylvania Railroad	1.50†	Irregular	89	7.01	0.84	2.43	3.51	6
Phillips Petroleum	2	Mar. 1	38	3.69	2.03	2.21	—	5
Public service of N. J.	2.35	Mar. 30	24	3.15	2.34	2.88	2.42	9
Pure Oil	0.25	Irregular	22	1.77	0.38	1.11	1.21	5
Radio Corp.	0.20	Irregular	nil	1.32	0.30	0.35	0.42	5
Reynold Tobacco "B"	2.25	Jan. 1	15	3.04	2.37	2.56	2.55	7
Schenley	—	—	33	—	2.46	2.52	—	nil
Sears Roebuck	4.25	Mar. 16	47	5.03	4.18	6.60	6.32	6
Socony Vacuum Corp.	0.50†	M.S. 15	22	—	1.29	1.09	—	5
Southern Pacific	100	—	123	10.19	D 1.81	1.63	1.89	nil
Standard Brands	0.50	Jan. 2	4	1.53	0.62	0.51	—	9
Standard Gas & Electric	—	—	6.59	D 2.49	D 1.34	—	—	nil
Standard Oil of N.J.	1.75*	J.D. 15	49	3.47	2.86	3.27	—	5
Union Carbide & Carbon	2.70†	Jan. 2	30	3.40	2.77	3.86	4.55	4
Union Pacific Railway	6	Jan. 2	—	17.53	6.62	6.74	6.96	7
United Aircraft	3.50†	Irregular	12	—	2.05	3.53	4.94	9
United Airlines	—	—	8	—	D 0.66	0.21	—	nil
United Corp.	—	—	3	0.55	0.07	0.07	—	nil
United Gas Improvement	0.80	Mar. 23	11	1.29	0.99	1.07	—	11
U.S. Rubber	10	—	24	nil	0.43	2.91	3.58	nil
U.S. Steel	4†	Irregular	119	12.90	D 3.79	1.83	8.84	8
Vanadium	1.50	Irregular	29	4.59	0.61	3.25	2.84	7
Warner Bros. Pictures	—	—	18	1.84	0.41	0.36	—	nil
Westinghouse Elec.	4.87½	Feb. 28	71	7.22	3.38	5.18	7.10	5

*Plus extras D Deficit E Est †Dividends are for the latest four quarters

U.S. Bankers Buy Br. Viscose Firm

U.S. $40,000,000 Initial Payment Made on Giant Rayon, Fibre Company

New York, March 16.

The first important sale of British-owned properties in the United States has placed the $100,000,000 American Viscose Corporation in the hands of a group of American investment bankers, states the "Christian Science Monitor."

Transfer of the giant rayon yarn and fibre company—largest in the Nation and perhaps in the world—for an initial payment of $40,000,000 was announced by Sir Edward Peacock.

More Deals Coming

Sir Edward, British financial envoy here to dispose of British-held industrial corporations to raise funds for munitions of war, said the viscose firm transaction was only the forerunner of other large deals.

Morgan Stanley and Company, Inc., and Dillon Read and Company headed seventeen American concerns cooperating in the purchase.

Total price for the viscose corporation hinges on the amount realized on resale by the original purchasers and is therefore undetermined at present. Unofficial estimates say the vast company is worth between $100,000,000 and $150,000,000.

From the ultimate price there will be deducted the down payment of $40,000,000 and expenses and certain specified profits for the purchase group and syndicate managers, after which 90 per cent. of the remainder will go directly to the British Government.

Sir Edward said the sale could only have been completed in the short time available "by the exercise of good will and mutual trust on both sides." He expressed appreciation for the speed with which the Americans negotiated.

Large Concern

The American Viscose Corporation was founded in the United States 30 years ago and employs 18,000 American workers in seven plants in Marcus Hook, Lewistown, and Meadville, Pa; Roanoke and Front Royal, Va., and Parkersburg and Nitro, W. Va.

The company, it was disclosed, is completely capitalized by common stock and has no bonded debt. There are 491,555 shares of the stock outstanding in England.

Under present plans, these English shares will be deposited together in England, where they will be cancelled and new shares will be issued here for American investors.

Largest Cotton Surplus In U.S. Predicted

Memphis, Tenn.

The greatest surplus of cotton in history was predicted for this year by Oscar Johnston, President of the National Cotton Council, states the "Christian Science Monitor."

In a letter to governors of eighteen cotton-producing states, Mr. Johnston asked the issuance of proclamations officially designating May 16-24 as National Cotton Week, and said.

"Despite the fact that domestic cotton consumption thus far is in excess of that of previous years, indications are that the end of the current cotton year will see the greatest surplus in history. This situation arises from the loss of virtually all of our foreign markets, at least for the duration of the year.

The cotton man's position is serious, to say the least.

Calling the success of National Cotton Week particularly important this year, Mr. Johnston announced plans to ask some 10,000 individuals and organizations to handle local promotion of cotton week. He expressed belief that at least 150,000 retail stores would cooperate.

LOCAL FOOD PRICES

Average prices obtained on May 9. H.—Hongkew District W.—Seymour Rd. Market and shops in Western District F.C.—Markets and shops in the French Concession.

Beef	H.	W.	F.C.
Rib	3.20	2.40	3.40
Rump	3.60	3.80	3.40
Sirloin	3.60	3.80	—
Soup	2.00	2.20	2.20
Suet	2.00	2.40	0.80

Mutton			
Lamb	1.60	1.60	1.60
Gigot	1.60	1.60	1.60

Pork			
Lard	1.50	1.90	1.36
Leg	2.20	3.00	0.87
Cutlet	2.50	3.00	1.96
Should.	2.10	2.60	2.03

Veal			
Cutlets	3.60	3.50	—

Buffalo			
Rump	3.00	2.70	2.70
Soup	1.60	1.70	1.80
Goat	—	—	1.50

Prepared Meat			
Bacon	2.40	2.80	2.70
Ham F.	2.70	2.50	4.20
Ham C.	2.56	3.20	2.60
S. pork	1.28	1.60	1.50

Fish			
Carp	2.00	1.20	—
.. live	2.40	2.40	1.90
Cod	1.20	1.20	1.70
Eel live	1.30	1.40	1.00
Manda.	1.60	1.60	2.00
Prawns	0.45	0.40	0.50
Salmon	1.60	1.60	—
Soles N.	1.30	1.60	1.10
W'bait	1.00	1.10	—
Yellow	0.80	1.20	1.00

Salted Fish			
Herring	0.90	0.75	0.70
Ribbon	0.80	0.80	0.75
Salmon	1.20	1.20	1.15

Poultry and Eggs			
Chick.	2.60	2.60	2.40
Duck	7.00	7.00	6.00
Eggs	2.20	2.00	1.80

Fruit			
Apples	1.00	1.00	1.00
Bananas	0.90	0.90	0.90
Lemons	0.70	0.60	0.65
Oranges	—	—	1.80
.. Imp.	7.20	6.00	7.50
Pears	..	—	0.60 0.80

Vegetables	H.	W.	F.C.
B'boo	0.35	0.70	0.60
Beans	1.00	1.40	0.25
B'root	0.20	0.30	0.30
C bage	C.0.15	0.10	0.12
.. F.	0.15	0.30	0.20
.. S.	0.15	0.20	0.15
Carrots	0.30	0.40	0.30
Onions	0.30	0.60	0.20
Potatoes	0.40	0.47	0.40
.. S.	—	0.30	—
Spinach	0.15	0.25	0.20
To'toes	—	1.20	1.40
Turnips	0.20	0.15	0.15

Grocery			
Coffee	3.70	3.40	3.50
Flour A.	0.78	0.72	0.73
Flour C.	0.74	0.67	0.70
Macar.	1.40	1.30	1.10
Noodle	0.62	0.64	0.50
Salt. T.	0.56	0.60	0.50
.. C.	0.56	0.42	0.44
Sugar T.	1.05	1.00	1.00
.. H.	0.93	0.90	0.90
Tea C.	6.00	6.00	3.50

Oil and Bean Curd			
Bean	0.22	0.30	0.10
Salad	1.85	2.38	1.80
Soya	1.10	1.22	1.27

Milk, Butter and Bread			
Milk, A.	1.20	1.10	1.00
.. A T.T.	—	1.13	—
.. B	0.75	0.85	0.60
Milk	1.95	4.60	2.00
Butter	7.80	7.60	7.70
Margar.	2.20	2.05	2.40
Bread	0.75	0.75	0.75

Soaps			
Toilet	0.45	0.85	0.95
Wash.	0.73	1.25	1.50

Rice			
K'mee	0.81	0.79	0.83
Foreign	0.78	0.75	0.78

Coal and Fuel			
Antrac.	430	450	410
Kitchen	420	460	410
Brique	16	16	16
Charcoal	50	—	50
Wood	..	—	0.50 1.00
K'sene	1.29	1.24	1.44

New U.S. Draft Act

Washington, May 11.

Selective service officials yesterday completed a proclamation calling up for registration approximately 1,000,000 men who have passed their 21st birthday since the first registration last October. The proclamation now only awaits President Roosevelt's signature. The President will decide the date for registration, which was expected to be fixed in July.—United Press.

British Guarded On U.S. Aid

Commodity Men Reserved on Lease-Lend Flow, as War Needs Will Come First

London, Mar. 15.

As a result of the adoption of the lease-lend bill in Washington the commodity markets here turned their attention to its effect on British trade. Lack of definite indication by the United States Administration stimulated speculative discussions among British commodity interests who expect wholesale deliveries of numerous raw materials and foodstuffs, along with tobacco, says Mr. H. Heyman in the "New York Times."

Official circles, however, are exceptionally reserved on the expression of views and continue to indicate that the strictest civilian economy and the allocation of short shipping tonnage for the transport of necessary war materials still will be the decisive factors in determining British imports from the United States.

Imports Depend on Ships

It is probable that early imports of the primary commodities from the United States will be confined to certain armaments metals such as steel and aluminium vital to British defensive production at its maximum. Whether imports of other products will be permitted later on will depend on the shipping position.

Measures to Speed Shipping

The home government put forward measures this week to raise British shipbuilding and ship-repair activity to a maximum to insure a quicker turnabout of craft in service, but the grave shipping losses and the necessity for use of the greater part of nation's shipbuilding capacity for warships keep Britain from meeting its merchant shipping requirements.

Without broad American support in the way of shipping space, British imports of United States commodities must continue on a limited basis.

Meanwhile, discussion this week between United States Ambassador Winant and Lord Woolton, British Food Minister, covered the whole foodstuffs situation. Official details are not available, but it is believed the talks were general and the problem will be subject to special expert exploration.

Not Increase of Rations

The Ministry of Food does not intend to increase rations through the increase of shipments from abroad. Present rations are reported to provide a healthy diet, and short supplies of fruit are, at the moment, the only item in which an early improvement is held desirable.

Fruit Imports

The British Government recently concluded agreement with Madrid for the supply of 800,000 half-boxes of Spanish sweet oranges, this representing the first British purchase of oranges in the current year. In normal years Spain supplied as much as 6,000,000 half-boxes of oranges for consumption in the United Kingdom although in the last season before the war when Spain supplied only one-eighth of the total imports of oranges by Britain, the quantity declined to 1,546,000 half-boxes. The present order, obviously, is an exceedingly small one.

Britain's imports of citrus fruits from other countries have completely ceased and are causing serious difficulties for Palestine and Trinidad growers. While Trinidad's output is small, the Palestine citrus trade in recent years has grown into a major industry, providing, in fact, the backbone of Palestinian economy. Before the war two thirds of Palestine's export of oranges went to Britain and the rest was shipped largely to the European mainland. By now, more than 90 per cent of these exports have been lost, with the shipping shortages preventing any resumption for the duration of the conflict.

Local help for farmers in Palestine proved inadequate, but the British Government announced this week that it recognizes the need for assistance to the Palestine citrus growers. At the moment details of the subsidy plan are being worked out and an announcement is soon expected.

Mercury from Spain

The British agreement with Spain covers also 12,000 flasks of mercury, sufficient to meet British requirements for six months. Mercury is an essential commodity, and as Italy and Spain control four-fifths of the world's supply, the British position was difficult from the first year of the war.

Meanwhile, a marked advance in United States production, which has enabled good supplies to go to Britain, has broken the Italo-Spanish monopoly, making Spain anxious to retain contact with Britain. Recently the British Government restricted private imports of American mercury thus proving shortage has been overcome.

Clearing Account for Payments

The new Spanish supplies of mercury remove all anxiety completely.

Payments for the Spanish oranges and mercury will be effected through a clearing account, enabling Spain to buy rubber and wheat through Britain. It has been learned that wheat probably will be bought from Argentina and rubber will be supplied from Malaya.

Need of Aluminium

The British need for aluminium is demonstrated by the new order prohibiting the export of aluminium holloware after March 26. The British Ministry of Aircraft Production will buy British trade stocks at cost for use in the construction of aeroplanes. British aluminium production did not exceed 20,000 tons annually before the war, with most of the supply from Canada, Norway and Switzerland. Meanwhile, British production has materially increased the supplies from Canada, but European supplies are now discontinued.

Early in the war Britain bought much from the United States, but last year the quantity declined as a result of the record needs in America. Britain hopes to benefit from the enormous expansion of the United States capacity in this respect, especially since the issue of Washington's blanket authority for exports to the United Kingdom. Until larger supplies of United States aluminium arrive, Britain will be forced to extreme steps to convert aluminium ware into war use and to maintain maximum aircraft output.

Newsprint Restricted

Despite the increased British production of paper, the government continues to restrict allocations to the trade. On Monday, newsprint supplies to newspapers will be further restricted, necessitating a reduction in the size of papers by two pages three days a week. Simultaneously the Paper Control has issued a warning to all paper users, including the public, to economize.

Obviously, the government intends to conserve supplies in the event production is interrupted. Moreover, the government aims finally to transfer paper workers to the vital munitions industries. Consequently, further limitations on paper allocations are expected within the next four weeks.

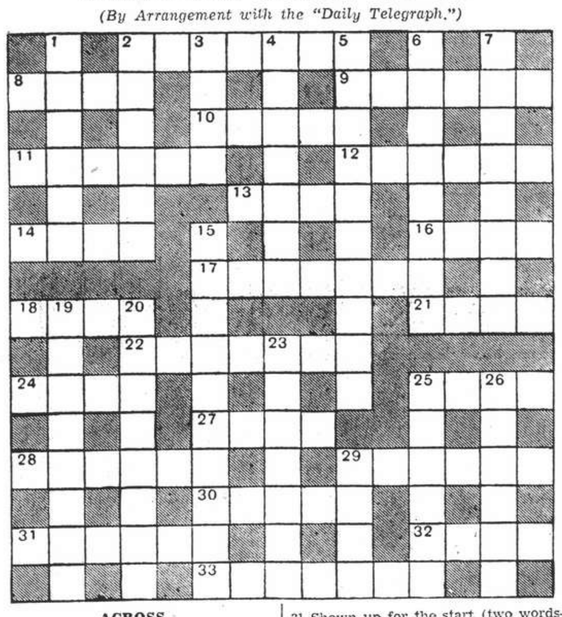
Cotton Monopoly

Negotiations by the Liverpool Cotton Association with the Supply Ministry, this week, revealed the hopelessness of the maintenance of the Liverpool cotton market for the duration of the war. Official statements are not available, but the closing is likely at the end of March.

From the beginning of April the Ministry of Supply will assume the responsibility for all British cotton imports through a special governmental trading company now being formed. The government will underwrite the price risk on cotton acquired through the Ministry of Supply and will fix a selling price for cotton allocated to spinners. Simultaneously, the government will take over private cotton stocks, and requisition private imports on arrival in this country.

CROSSWORD PUZZLE No. 492

(By Arrangement with the "Daily Telegraph.")



ACROSS

2 Many fished apparently from the end of a line (7)
3 Malay boat (4)
9 This generally keeps black or red but might be changed to pink (6)
10 An unpleasantly large number (6)
11 Vessel that enables others to start their voyages (6)
12 A cream mixture (6)
13 Bird that cannot be seen in any aviary (4)
14 This part of the barracks is evidently not the orderly room (4)
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Family Relations Are Sacred

Sermon Preached by Dean Trivett on Sanctity Of Marriage, in the Holy Trinity Cathedral

TEXT:—"*Thou shalt not commit adultery.*" Exodus 20, 14.

AS we study the law given through Moses, we find that blessings are promised in return for obedience, but heavy penalties are threatened for the law breaker. Now, the first four commandments assert in various forms the unity, spirituality and greatness of God and since the very purpose for which the Jewish state existed was to reveal and maintain these great truths concerning God and His relation to mankind, we can understand the severity of the penalty. These great fundamental laws were safeguarded for that and succeeding generations by making violation of them a capital crime, but that the same tremendous sanctions sustain the fifth, sixth and seventh commandments, laws governing human relationships, seem more difficult to understand.

Surely it is to teach us the importance of the place they occupy in the divine revelation—that there is a divine idea to be fulfilled in the relations between parents and children making that relationship sacred, drawing attention to the fact that the relation of the parent and the child akin to that between humanity and God, and that in the home and under parental discipline are to be developed, not only the social and domestic virtues, but reverence and devotion to God; and similarly that there is a divine idea to be fulfilled in the character and history of every individual life—this explains the inviolability and the sacredness indicated by the fact that human life is protected by a penalty no less severe than that which vindicates the majesty of God. So too, there is a divine idea to be fulfilled in married life. In all the office of mutual love and service which it creates—in all the happiness which it renders possible—and, therefore, marriage is sacred too.

Marriage a Divine Institution

In a very real and definite sense marriage is a divine institution. The law and the prophets, and the New Testament set their seal to the correctness of the teaching contained in he old story of Genesis two. Indeed it might be argued that marriage is essential to the highest development of human nature. It is true that there have been men and women who, in a single life, have exhibited a beauty and a strength of character unapproached by the vast majority, but most of us require marriage to redeem us from selfishness and to develop in us tenderness and understanding, and the secret of living not for ourselves, but for another. This life must be seen as a time and a place for the training and development of character and the relationships of married life offer scope for the development of those perfections of love and self-sacrifice which are the highest of human attributes. Marriage should manifest a noble dependence of weakness upon strength and a chivalrous guardianship of strength over weakness. It requires self-renunciation on the part of each for the welfare of the other, which is the perfection of disinterested love. It engages principle and honour to sustain mere inclination, and raises what would otherwise be the mere passion and an hour into a permanent devotion.

Ideals of Marriage

Let us return to the commandment: "Thou shalt not commit adultery." In its form, like most of the other commandments, it only restrains external acts which violate the divine idea upon which the commandment rests, but we shall only insure the keeping of the commandment as we teach and keep ever before us the lofty conception of marriage of which I have been speaking, and which is the aim of our Church of England teaching. Marriage, according to our Prayer Book, is the joining together of a man and a woman in a holy and an honourable estate comparable to the mystical union which exists between Christ and His Church. Its ideals and purposes are high and holy and it is to be entered upon "reverently, discreetly, advisedly, soberly and in the fear of God, duly considering the causes for which it was ordained." Marriage should never be—can never be—a mere civil contract for the Christian, for to the believer in God it is surely one of the most sacred of relationships and to enter upon it without a sense of awe and reverence is to court disaster. It is a spiritual union as well as intimate fellowship of mind and body—a spiritual and a physical union with enduring effects upon both husband and wife. Now, before I pass on, there are one or two conditions that those who intend to marry each other ought to demand.

First of all... There must be solid affection, a love of each for the other entirely different from the love of either for anybody else. It is love that gives value to marriage and it is love alone that can guarantee happiness and prosperity. No matter how brightly the sun may shine on the wedding day, there will be difficult times ahead, there will be sickness and hardship and disappointment, there will be days of adventure and delight, but there must be days of struggling and monotony. Perhaps sometimes there will be a clash of desires or a clash of temperaments. It will not always be plain sailing. Marriage is a means of discipline as well as of happiness. Its prosperity is in the hands of those who enter upon it. Only love for each other and love for God—a love so great as to lead to the subordination of every selfish interest to the common life—will be strong enough to carry husband and wife through the years. But if love is there, and is fed and educated, it will make even the romance and glory of courtship to be dull and prosaic beside the reality and happiness of marriage.

Mutual Surrender

In the second place, there ought to be implicit trust and an earnest and determining desire to consider each other's tastes and feelings. There should be a habitual suppression on the part of each of all personal tastes and preferences which conflict with the happiness of the other. There will be no weighing and measuring of the amount of concessions on either side—no thought of them—but a greater delight in mutual surrender than could come from any assertion of personal rights. There should be complete confidence in each other that seems absolutely essential to the realization of an ideal union. This does not mean that each must pour out all the details of the day's doings, but there ought to be absolute trust on both sides, no covering-up of thoughts and intentions, no secret separation of a part of life into which the other is never allowed to enter.

Breach of the Commandment

And, now, just a few words about the direct breach of the commandment before we consider its deeper meaning as interpreted by our Blessed Lord. It stands utterly condemned by Church and State alike—socially, morally and spiritually it is a crime against God, against self and against the community. Few there be who will seek on any grounds to justify it. It is as black and despicable today as it was when Nathan was sent from the Lord to reprove King David and declare the penalty. Adultery is everywhere condemned—it can never be excused. It has always been a problem and always will be until the Kingdom of God comes in the hearts of men, and I would premise that we can only hope to subdue and kill the sin of adultery as we capture and keep a lofty conception of marriage—only love can avail to conquer license. Even if time and such a gathering as this permitted, a full discussion of the evil and its tragic results few men are competent to deal with it, but there are some tendencies in the present day which challenge our consideration and cry for Christian leadership and guidance—tendencies which have a vital relation to our subject this morning.

Sex Education

For instance, the question of sex education. There is an increasing need of wise direction of juvenile reading. The amount of good literature that is available far surpasses what used to be, but together with much that is great, pure and elevating, there is much that is purile and degrading. One particularly deprecates the increasing prevalence of the modern novel with its careless treatment of sex problems. The responsibility for the direction of children's reading and for seeing that they get scientific knowledge of these things in books which are written from a Christian point of view should be most seriously considered by parents and teachers. The best scientific knowledge is put well and reverently in books the simplest can understand. If the relationships of marriage have the divine sanction, it cannot be wrong to tell children about it when they are old enough to understand and are beginning to question, and if love is dangerously near to lust, and if God's greatest gift can be made into man's greatest curse, it is positively wrong for young people not to know. But there is much that is dangerous in modern realism. A good deal depends upon how truth is put. It can be put with such simplicity, and yet with a sanity and reverence that will make a lasting impression on boys and girls, helping them to realize without embarrassment how wonderfully God has made man and woman to live together in a divinely ordered society, its roots in the past, and its future in their hands; but it can be put so crudely and irreverently that well nigh irreparable harm may be done. We ought to tell our young people the meaning of things, but if we cannot tell them well we must get someone else to do it or make it our business to find out how.

Purity of Mind, Heart and Body

But these commandments are capable of a far wider interpretation than the mere prohibition of some specified action. In His interpretation of the scope of this commandment in Matthew five, our Blessed Lord did more than condemn the impure action. He condemned as well the impure thought and desire. He grounded the sin of adultery in the heart rather than in the action and in another passage he made it still more definite when He said that it is "out of the heart of man that there proceed fornications, thefts, murders and adulteries." The Hebrew Law dealt only with a breach of the marriage relation. Christ demanded purity of mind and heart as well as purity of body. He saw with knowledge and insight that if the springs are pure the whole life will issue pure and true, but if the springs be polluted the life will suffer accordingly. This suggests thoughts we do well to consider most carefully. The visible life is the product and expression of the mind and heart....the hidden self. The outer life in word and deed is determined by that inner self just as the fruit depends on the nature of the tree, and the question of purity has its roots in those secret places of a man's being that lie hidden from any human eye. Psychologists tell us that below the level of our conscious thought there are large subterannean places where the things we hear and read and think about are stored up. The things which come up to the surface, whether we produce them voluntarily—remember them—or whether they come up unbidden when our upper minds are empty and receptive, naturally are of the stock that is stored below. What stock are we accumulating in our mental underground? What sort of pictures hang in the most private galleries of our minds? What sort of thoughts come floating up from those mysterious depths and what are the thoughts we most enjoy thinking? Beware, if our outward assent to the commandments has not the approval of the inner life. Outward purity will be a constant struggle if the heart remains uncleansed. The battle for purity must be fought out in the mind and heart, and we all know the difficulty of that inner combat.

We have both the command and the answer in I Corinthians 6, 18-20. "Flee fornication. Every sin that a man doeth is without the body, but he that committeth fornication sinneth against his own body. What? know ye not that your body is the temple of the Holy Ghost, which is in you, which ye have of God, and ye are not your own. For ye are bought with a price, therefore, glorify God in your body, and in your spirit, which are God's." That indwelling spirit can cleanse and keep the heart pure. Drive out the spirits of evil and fill the heart with the spirit of Christ, issuing in love joy, peace and those other of the sevenfold gifts it alone can bestow.

Word of Warning

One word of warning and I have finished. The command lays a restraint just where man's nature seems most insistent and headstrong, and there may be some who demand freedom, who resent the interference of a law framed without their consent and which limits their personal freedom and curtails their strongest desires. To such I reply. What is your boasted freedom? Have you considered whither it leads? Is that freedom which makes the intellect of man the slave of his impulses and his body the master of his soul? We need none of us look very far in order to find people who have lost their capacity for everything that is good and satisfying by seeking freedom in the passion of an hour; but I contend that this commandment is the divine expression of a great law which we find operating throughout all life, demonstrating the great truth that a man's freedom needs to be limited in order that he may remain truly free. Unrestricted liberty of action in anything would mean that we are at the mercy of whatever whim or inclination happens for the moment to be most actively excited—and chaos would result. He is most truly free who has become the bond-servant of Jesus Christ. In the ways of His commandments we shall find peace and joy, and the truest sort of freedom.

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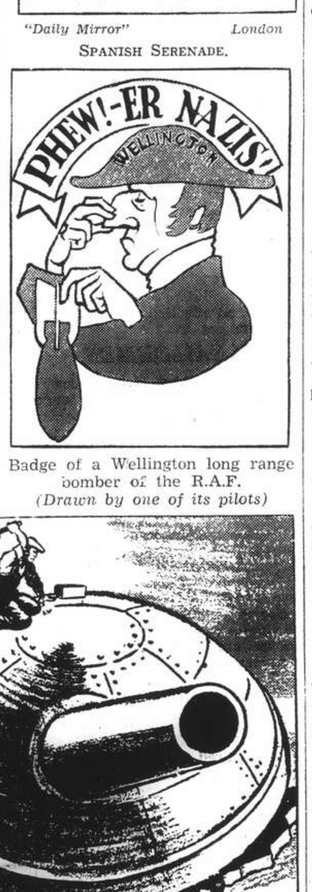

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French Statement On Syria

League Mandate Not Yet Abandoned; Allegations Of Students Denied

Vichy, May 11.

An official spokesman yesterday denied that France has abandoned rule over Syria or its League of Nations mandate over the country.

Despatches from Stamboul, reporting Syrian student demonstrations celebrating "French abandonment of rule over Syria," provoked the official denial.

The Stamboul despatch said that the students pretended that France had no right to govern Syria because by recent withdrawal from the League of Nations, France lost its League mandate over the country.

"France still is a member of the League and will be for two years more, under the clause obliging two year's notification of withdrawal," said the spokesman. "Hence, for two years at least, the question of mandate does not arise."

The spokesman also pointed out that Japan still holds, an undisputed League mandate over the German islands in the Pacific, despite the fact she quit the League long ago.

The French recently encouraged the new Syrian Government to start preparation of a constitution for the eventual freeing of Syria when world political conditions allow it. However, for the duration of the present war, it was understood, Syrian independence would not be granted by France.—United Press.

Chinese Relief Pins Praised

Mrs. Roosevelt Expresses Her Approval

New York, May 11.

Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt, wife of the President, yesterday in her syndicated newspaper column "My Day" praised pins issued by the China Relief organization.

"Of all the various pins given by organizations helping various countries," she wrote, "I think the ones designed by the China Relief are perhaps the least conspicuous and easiest to wear by men and women."

Meanwhile, it was announced that next Thursday night three prominent U.S. churchmen would discuss Chinese relief needs before an interfaith convocation here.

Speakers will be Monsignor Francis W. Walsh, Catholic Vicar-Delegate to the United States Army and Navy; Rabbi Edward L. Israel, President of the American Synagogue Council; and Dr. Estaley Jones, Methodist-Episcopal missionary. Dr. T. C Yu, Chinese Consul in New York City, also will speak.—United Press.

Roosevelt Places More Materials Under Embargo

Washington, May 11.

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To receive the Directors' Report and Statements of Account for the year ended December 31, 1940, to declare a final dividend, to elect Directors and Auditors and to transact any other ordinary business.

The Transfer Books and Share Register of the Company will be closed from May 22 to June 3, 1941, both days inclusive.

AND NOTICE IS HEREBY ALSO GIVEN that at the same time and on the same day at 11.45 a.m. or so soon afterwards as the Ordinary General Meeting shall be concluded an Extraordinary General Meeting will be held for the purpose of considering and if thought fit of passing the following Resolutions as Special Resolutions namely:—

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(c) The following Article shall be substituted for Article 33.

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(2) To declare a final dividend.
(3) To elect Directors.
(4) To elect Auditors.
(5) To transact any other ordinary business of the Company.

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(4) To elect Auditors.
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The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from May 3 to May 12 (both days inclusive) during which period no transfer of shares will be effected.

By Order of the Board of Directors,

TURNER, STURROCK & BROWN,
Secretaries.

9 Avenue Edouard VII, Shanghai.

Shanghai, April 29, 1941. 12377

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Application has been made to the said company for new certificates and all persons are hereby notified to show cause, if any, within 60 days, why such new certificates should not be issued; otherwise said certificates shall be declared null and void and new certificates issued in their stead.

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Dated May 12, 1941. 12622

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the above-named Company will be held at the offices of the Secretaries, Messrs. Wheelock & Co., Ltd., 2 French Bund, Shanghai, at 4.30 p.m. on Wednesday, June 4, 1941, for the purpose of considering and, if deemed desirable, of passing (with or without modification) the following Special Resolution:—

"That Shanghai Securities Ltd. be wound up voluntarily and that John Alexander Turner, Chartered Accountant of 9 Avenue Edward VII, and Ernest Alfred George May of 2 French Bund, Shanghai, be and they are hereby appointed Liquidators, jointly and severally to conduct the winding-up."

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Session 1940-41
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Paper on

BALL BEARINGS

By

G. T. GAMBLING

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C. C. KNOX.
Hon. Secretary. E.S.C. 12625

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A Meeting will be held in the Auditorium of the R.A.S. Building, 20 Museum Road, on Thursday, May 15, at 5:30 p.m., when a Lecture will be given by

COUNT D'AUXION DE RUFFE

entitled "CRIMINAL PROCEDURE IN ANCIENT CHINA."

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Meteorological Reports	May 10 16.00	May 10 21.00	May 11 4.00	May 11 9.00
Barometer (inches)	29.91	29.97	29.99	30.04
at 32 F. (variation for 24 hrs.)	+0.04	+0.02	+0.05	+0.05
„ „ 12 hrs.)	—0.03	—0.02	+0.03	+0.07
Wind (direction)	E.N	E.N	E.N	NNE
„ (miles per hour)	9.9	8.1	3.7	5.0
Temperature (Fahr.)	62.6°	60.4°	60.6°	64.8°
Humidity (per cent)	95	100	97	85
Nebulosity (0 to 10)	10	10	6	9
Rainfall (inches)	0.57	0.02	0.05	—

Siccawei Abridged Report May 10	Mean 1941	24 hrs. variation	68 years average
Barometer (mean 4 obs.)	29.95	+0.09	29.88
Temperature: min. 59.9° max. 63.9°	61.9°	—4.5°	61.2°
Total rainfall January 1 to midnight before last (inches)	15.25	0.94	12.29

Time and Tide	12/5	13/5	14/5	15/5	16/5	17/5	18/5
Sun rises at Shanghai	5.02	5.01	5.01	5.00	4.59	4.58	4.57
Sun sets at Shanghai	18.40	18.40	18.41	18.42	18.43	18.44	18.44
Moon rises at Shanghai	19.53	20.57	21.55	22.47	23.34	—	0.15
Moon sets at Shanghai	5.55	6.51	7.49	8.49	9.49	10.48	11.45
Flood makes Shai. (day)	11.05	12.09	12.58	13.19	14.13	15.12	16.25
Ebb makes Shai. (day)	16.03	16.37	17.15	18.05	6.35	7.29	8.41
H.W. W'sung Bar (day)	12.36	13.20	13.59	14.52	15.50	16.55	18.15
Ht. above LLW. (feet)	11.42	11.50	11.15	10.40	10.27	9.60	8.90

THE WEATHER

(See top of page, left)

State on the morning of the 10th:—Siberian anticyclone over China: trade wind air mass over Japan and the Pacific Ocean. Fine weather and northerly winds over north China; rain or mist with easterly winds over our regions and to the south of the Saddles.

State on the morning of the 11th:—Cloudy and misty weather. East-northeasterly breezes. Pressure rather high and steady.—Siccawei Observatory.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

Contributions received by the "North-China Daily News" will be forwarded to the societies or charities concerned, by whom acknowledgment in these columns will be made in due course.

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Nantung	15.30	16.00
Kiangpei offices south and east of Jukao	18.30	19.00
Nantung	18.30	19.00
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